

FALL OF FRANKFURT NEARS

Huge Allied Advance East Of Rhine Continues Steadily

Final Defeat Of Germany Is Seen By Allied Forces

Statement From Eisenhower's Headquarters Says Allies Engaged In "Final Defeat Of Germany"

VICTORY FORECAST CONDITIONS CITED

By JOSEPH WILLIAMS, JR.
(U. S. Staff Correspondent)

SUPREME HEADQUARTERS, Allied Expeditionary Force, March 26.—Allied forces now are engaged in the "final defeat of Germany," an official statement from Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's headquarters said today.

"It will be a bitter struggle but victory is inevitable," the statement said.

The statement said that from the opening day of the Allied offensive to control the Rhine until now the enemy had been "ignominiously routed," suffering a defeat comparable to that inflicted on the Germans in the fall of 1944 and the blows recently delivered by the Russians.

German Outfought. Field Marshal Karl Gerd von Rundstedt "has been outfought, the German soldier outfought and outmaneuvered," the statement said.

"The Luftwaffe has been overwhelmed. The fact that the Germans were unable to launch a determined counter-attack during the first 48 hours of the assault over the Rhine was considered by headquarters as an indisputable proof that 'possessing the terrain' prior to the crossings paid magnificent dividends."

Air Attacks Big Aid. This was supported by reports from ground troops of great destruction to gun emplacements and fortified positions by pin-point air attacks. The tally of destroyed transport and damage to railroads adds to the stature of Allied claims.

Prior to the Rhine offensive, the statement said, it was the task of the Allied air forces to weaken the enemy by breaking down his administrative organization and interfering with his ability to move reinforcements into and within the battle area.

PA NEWC Observes

Talk about an early spring. PA Newc is told that several lawns in the city have already been given their first mowing of the season.

Forsythia bushes are abloom throughout the city several weeks earlier than usual in the spring-time.

Beautiful weather experienced on Sun Sunday brought out hundreds of "strollers" and aided in swelling church attendance during the day.

The fine weather of the week-end brought many householders outdoors to clear their yards of the debris of leaves and tree branches left by the winter, sow grass seed, and spade their garden plots in preparation for planting victory gardens.

Report Fighting Near Karlsruhe

LONDON, March 26.—(INS)—A Nazi military spokesman quoted in a German broadcast today reported that fighting was underway outside of Karlsruhe, capital of Baden.

Daily Weather Report

United States weather statistics for the 24-hour period ending at 9 a. m. today follow:
Maximum temperature, 80.
Minimum temperature, 47.
No precipitation.
River stage, 8.6 feet.
Statistics for the 24-hour period ending at 9 o'clock Sunday morning are as follows:
Maximum temperature, 70.
Minimum temperature, 37.
No precipitation.

Australians Clean Up In New Britain

NEW YORK, March 26.—(INS)—Australian forces have advanced 70 miles in their new drive to clear New Britain of remaining Japanese forces, the Australian radio said today, quoting Gen. Sir Thomas Blamey, in charge of the operation. The broadcast heard by CBS, said the Australians now held two-thirds of the island.

Japanese Claim Landing Attempt Made On Ryukyu

No Confirmation By Admiral Nimitz—Jap Convoy In Area Destroyed

By JOSEPH A. BORS
(U. S. Staff Correspondent)

ADVANCED PACIFIC FLEET HEADQUARTERS, Guam, March 26.—American assault forces "attempted" to invade the Ryukyu Islands, some 300 miles southwest of Japan itself, the enemy radio asserted today just a short time after Fleet Adm. Chester W. Nimitz' headquarters announced destruction in those very waters of an eight-ship Jap convoy.

According to the Tokyo radio, U. S. troops in "approximately 100

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Evacuation Plan Has Collapsed In German Areas

NEW YORK, March 26.—(INS)—Guerrillas of Düsseldorf, Essen, North and South Westphalia, east of the Rhine, have broadcast an announcement that their evacuation plans have "collapsed completely," the British radio said today.

Only the young age groups, persons of military age, can now be evacuated from the danger zones, according to the German announcement, which was issued "with the approval of the high command of the Wehrmacht," said BBC in a broadcast reported by the FCC.

Urging the German civilian population to obey instructions broadcast to them by Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower the British radio added: "This official German announcement is proof of the desperate situation brought on the German authorities by the destruction of the transportation system and the collapse of their administrative machinery. It is further proof, if any is still needed, of the cynical disregard of the leaders for German lives and for the future of the German people."

Senate And House Conferees Agree On Manpower Bill

(BULLETIN)

WASHINGTON, March 26.—(INS)—Senate and House conferees signed the compromise manpower bill today and sent it to the lower chamber for action probably tomorrow. The only objector to the compromise was Sen. Joseph O'Mahoney, (D. Wyo.).

The legislation, from which O'Mahoney withheld his approval, was the compromise agreed upon last week, eliminating the labor draft but authorizing a freeze of workers in war jobs.

Governor Signs Three New Bills

HARRISBURG, March 26.—(INS)—Gov. Edward Martin signed into law today three bills including a measure permitting defendants to waive jury trials in all criminal cases except murder and treason.

Other bills regulated the destruction of documents in the offices of county prothonotaries and set forth procedures for the conveyance of deeds for liquidating corporation assets.

Nazi Broadcaster Fears Front Broken

LONDON, March 26.—(INS)—Fear that Germany's western front "may be completely broken" was expressed in a broadcast today by Guenther Weber, DNB front-line broadcaster.

Russian Forces Sweep Forward Toward Vienna

Gain More Than 30 Miles In New Offensive Northwest Of Budapest

REDS DRIVING NEARER DANZIG

By NATALIA RENE
(U. S. Staff Correspondent)

MOSCOW, March 26.—

The Second Ukrainian army, smashing forward more than 30 miles in a new offensive northwest of Budapest, drove today toward a junction with another mighty Soviet force sweeping through Hungary along the road to Vienna.

Marshal Radio Malinovsky's army, taking 7,000 prisoners in its sudden thrust, cut the Budapest-Vienna railway and with the capture of the German stronghold of Esztergom on the Czechoslovakian border drove to within 20 miles of Third Ukrainian army spearheads.

At the same time, Red army troops at the northern end of the blazing eastern front captured Oliva, less than two miles from Danzig, and Heiligenbeil, 25 miles southwest of Königsberg and last German defense point of the Baltic lagoon of Frisches Haff.

Report Breakthrough.

In an order of the day announcing the new Hungarian offensive, Marshal Joseph Stalin disclosed that Malinovsky burst through German defenses in the Vistula mountains west of Budapest and overran more than 200 localities to reach the Danube's southern shore.

The lightning smash trapped

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Nagoya Badly Burned Out By Bomber Attacks

Twenty first bomber command headquarters, Guam, March 26.—(INS)—Five square miles in the heart of industrial Nagoya, Japan's third largest city, were burned out and 25 other vital war plants were destroyed or damaged in three recent U. S. Superfortress raids, reconnaissance photographs disclosed today.

The burned-out area, covering nearly 140,000,000 square feet of the key aircraft center, resulted mainly from heavy incendiary attacks staged by upwards of 300 B-29s March 12 and 19.

The 25 other plants, housing six industries, were destroyed or damaged in the latest raid early Sunday by some 225 of the huge American bombers which concentrated mainly on the Mitsubishi aircraft factory, as well as power plants and the arsenal.

NAZIS TAKEN PRISONER AFTER TRAP CLOSED



This high collection of German prisoners is but part of the great number taken by the U. S. Seventh Army after Nazi resistance had collapsed in the Saar and Palatinate. Many of these captives surrendered voluntarily when they learned they were caught in a pincer by the U. S. Third and Seventh armies. Signal Corps Radiophoto.

Industry Center On Formosa Is Badly Wrecked

U. S. Bombers In Smashing Attack On Hydro-Electric plant On Island

By FRANK ROBERTSON
(U. S. Staff Correspondent)

MANILA, March 26.—Hammered by 146 tons of high explosives, the vital Jitsinggen hydro-electric plant on Formosa was described officially today as at least 75 per cent knocked out.

The highly-important unit, which Gen. Douglas MacArthur said was "the main source for the island's industrial areas," was blasted by approximately 50 escorted heavy bombers of the U. S. fifth air force in their second successive day's assault on Formosa's vital installations.

Industries Hampered.

"The whole southern two-thirds of Formosa and its war industries will be very seriously hampered," (Continued on Page Two)

REPORT HITLER CALLS MEETING

(BULLETIN)

LONDON, March 26.—(INS)—The London Evening News reported today that Adolf Hitler had called a meeting of all his ministers and gauleiters at Berchtesgaden tonight as Allied advances along the crumbling Western front have spread growing alarm throughout official Germany.

GERMANS LOSE 300,000 IN MONTH

SUPREME HEADQUARTERS, Allied Expeditionary Force, March 26.—(INS)—The Germans have lost more than 300,000 men in killed, wounded and captured along the Western front since March 1, a spokesman at the headquarters of Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower said today. He added that the Nazi situation was "critical."

Feeding Nazis May Be Next Problem Of U.S.

WASHINGTON, March 26.—(INS)—The rapid movement of Allied military forces toward the heart of Germany brought American officials face to face today with the prospect of having to feed the German people from dwindling food stocks in the United States.

Washington officials who are shaping plans for Germany said today: "We are shedding no crocodile tears for the Germans, but the American public will not want to see starvation and contagious disease in that country, particularly when our troops have not to occupy part of it."

First Task.

The first task facing American officials is the food and supply problem in the area of occupation allotted to the United States. This is southern Germany, which is normally almost self-sufficient in food supplies. But it is being flooded with ten to fifteen million refugees.

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Many Rhine Bridgeheads Are Now Held

By MAJOR PAUL C. RABORG
(Written Especially for U. S. S.)

NEW YORK, March 26.—Allied armies today hold a dozen bridgeheads on the east bank of the Rhine river, Germany's last natural defense barrier on the west.

Field Marshal Montgomery's 21st Army group has established seven crossings from north of Rees to south of Wesel. Next to the south is Gen. Hodges' First Army's greatly expanded bridgehead, now reportedly a full-fledged operational base. Farther south, the rampaging Third Army is reported to have three bridgeheads. And still farther south the French First Army is said to have crossed the Rhine in the Karlsruhe district.

Truly, the Rhine barrier, as a Nazi defense system, has been smashed through in the extreme north, at the center and virtually at its southern end.

Outstanding Crossing.

The outstanding crossing of the Rhine, though to date it has the least depth, is that in the extreme north, at the center and virtually at its southern end.

Hunt Slayer In Miami District

Taxi-Cab Driver Killed, Night-Watchman Wounded In Mysterious Manner

MIAMI, Fla., March 26.—(INS)—Two shootings in the Miami district in which a taxicab driver was killed and a night watchman was critically wounded were believed by investigators today to have been committed by the same man.

Harold Burgoyne, 50-year-old night watchman employed to guard a number of the fine estates on the cluster of islands in Biscayne bay, was shot in the abdomen by a cyclist whom he overtook in his automobile and began to question. Authorities believed this shooting was the sequel to another in which David Newman, 35, ex-soldier and taxicab driver, was shot and killed.

Police said they believed the gunman, having slain Newman, fired upon the watchman fearing the latter would frustrate his attempt to escape. Burgoyne said he returned the fire and thought a bullet had hit his assailant.

LLOYD GEORGE CRITICAL

LONDON, March 26.—(INS)—A medical bulletin issued this morning from the bedside of David Lloyd George said the condition of Britain's prime minister during the last World War had become critical.

Earl Lloyd George, who has been ill for weeks, has declined considerably during the past 24 hours, his physicians said.

ARGENTINA TO ENTER WAR. Buenos Aires, March 26.—(INS)—Announcement that Argentina has declared war on the Axis and is willing to sign the Chapultepec and United Nations pacts is expected after today's cabinet meeting, official quarters indicated.

Patton Calls For Help To Handle Bag Of Prisoners

WITH THE U. S. THIRD ARMY, Germany, March 26.—(INS)—The U. S. Third Army's famed Fourth Armored Division, which now is nearer Berlin than any other force along the Western Front, had to call for help in its 40-mile drive east of the Rhine, it was disclosed today.

"We are taking more prisoners than we can take care of," the Fourth messaged to headquarters in the rear.

"Send help."

Third Army Is Smashing Ahead Towards Berlin

Gen. Patton's Armored Forces Flatten Nazi Opposition In Drive East Of Rhine

HUGE NUMBER OF PRISONERS TAKEN

(BULLETIN)

WITH THE U. S. THIRD ARMY, March 26.—(INS)—German prisoners reported today that Nazi troops in Frankfurt have blown up the principal bridge over the Main river. Fall of the bypassed city is believed imminent.

By PIERRE J. HUSS
(U. S. Staff Correspondent)

WITH THE U. S. THIRD ARMY, March 26.—The German country-side rocked and blazed as Lieut. Gen. George S. Patton's Third Army blasted towns and villages in a thundering armored smash toward Berlin which left a confused Wehrmacht gasping in its wake.

As every conceivable point of enemy resistance disappeared in geyser of flame and smoke, the Fourth Armored Division plumed forward 27 miles yesterday to points 40 road miles east of the Rhine.

Leads In Race.

The Third Army led all other Anglo-American forces in the race for Berlin as smoke and dust billowed from tank treads and guns.

Eager young Americans riding the

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Huge Bomb Raids Are Continuing Over Germany

LONDON, March 26.—(INS)—More than 230 U. S. Eighth Army Flying Fortresses, escorted by more than 450 Mustang fighters, today blasted the synthetic oil plant at Zeitz, 20 miles south of Leipzig.

The American planes also attacked a self-propelled gun and armored vehicle plant at Plauen, 40 miles southwest of Chemnitz.

London, March 26.—Allied bombing fleets returned to Germany today for the 42nd consecutive daylight attack against the Reich, the Nazi radio announced in a warning that the air armada was over Frankfurt at dawn.

Earlier a flight of RAF Mosquito bombers struck Berlin for the 14th consecutive night, the British Air Ministry announced.

(One German broadcast heard at 8 a. m. by the FCC, said that Allied bombers were over northwest, west and southwest Germany, indicating that the new attack against Hitler's crumbling fortress was again being carried out on a tremendous scale.)

DEATH RECORD

Monday, March 26, 1945

Mary Jane Musser, 78, Edgewood avenue extension.

James W. Craig, Harding road, Ingomar, Pa.

Mrs. Hannah E. Stitt Hiler, 72, 316 Sycamore street.

Staff Sgt. Frank A. Ruscetti, 36, 421 East Division street.

Rhine Defenders Routed Declares U.S. Headquarters

Advanced American Units Are Now 100 Miles Inside Reich Says Statement

ONLY 280 MILES FROM RED FORCES

By JAMES L. KILGALLEN
(U. S. Staff Correspondent)

PARIS, March 26.—American and British troops more than a million strong rode rough-shod over the remnants of the German army today and with the capture of Frankfurt imminent, Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's headquarters announced that Germany's "final defeat" now is under way.

With troops of Lieut. Gen. George S. Patton's Third Army over the Rhine in a new sector (unnamed) and closing in on Frankfurt from two directions, battle-front dispatches placed advanced American units 100 miles inside the Reich—250 miles from Berlin and only 280 from an inevitable junction with Russian forces.

Nazi Forces Routed.

The once-powerful German armies assigned to defend the Rhine have been "ignominiously routed" and some 300,000 first-class Nazi troops put out of action in the present offensive, Gen. Eisenhower's spokesman said.

The calm confidence radiated at headquarters was amply justified by dispatches from front-line correspondents and enemy broadcasts which painted the following general picture:

1.—Patton's army, deepest of all inside Germany, has crossed the Main river to by-pass and outflank Frankfurt in one sweep. In orders to the south and southwest, his forces are six and eight miles distant from the great city.

2.—The ninth army bridgehead opposite Remagen has now been expanded to a depth of 19 miles east of the Rhine.

3.—Troops of the 21st army group to the north, meeting the most stubborn resistance of any force engaged in the gigantic offensive, are clearing out pockets of opposition and steadily expanding their holdings.

4.—Units of the sixth army group to the south have burst loose, according to the German radio, and are now fighting around Karlsruhe.

New Advances.

Gen. Eisenhower's spokesman confirmed battlefield dispatches disclosing that Patton's forces, feeling all new advances of from six to seven miles, drove to within six miles of Frankfurt on the heels of a plume that originally placed the third army 32 miles east of the Rhine.

The famous fourth armored division was last reported in the outskirts of Aschaffenburg, where a bridge over the river Main was taken by units while other unidentified elements exploited the area near captured Altmühl and pushed toward Frankfurt.

Elements of another third army

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Arthur Mometer



There isn't any reason just because it is the season when spring fever gets a-going that you have this alibi. Its your vitamins that's wanting and you'd better be a-hunting for some stuff to pep your motor and to make you lithe and spry. There's a lot of work a-waiting, so don't be a-hesitating and procrastinating, brother, there is plenty you can do, paint a barn or shoe a stallion, plant some turnips or some scallions, get a-going, times a-moosing, weather warm and seventy-two.

Y. Membership Teams To Meet

Organization For Membership Rally Will Be Completed At Meeting This Evening

This evening at 6:30 o'clock members of the teams in the men's division, who will conduct the drive for adult memberships in the campaign just getting under way, will meet to complete their organization and get started on another successful membership rally.

Last Saturday the boys' teams were organized and since then they have been working hard to set a goal which the older members will find hard to beat.

There will be 16 teams in the drive and General Chairman Joseph N. Kerr expects every team captain and worker to be on hand for this meeting.

Division Chairmen Lee Campbell and Alex Samuels will have the team organization set up all ready for the opening of the drive, and instructions will be given the workers after the dinner.

Forty Hours Close At Madonna Church

Solemn Closing Held In Conjunction With Closing Of Mission Devotions

A capacity crowd attended the solemn closing of the forty hours devotion of Madonna church, and the closing of the mission held this past week, Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Rev. Fr. James O'Connor was celebrant; Rev. Fr. William P. Pisarcik was deacon; and Rev. Fr. Charles D. Galt was sub-deacon. Rev. Fr. Francis Kuczyński was master of ceremonies.

Litany of the saints was chanted by Rev. Fr. Albert M. Inteso and Rev. Fr. Ignatius Koller.

The sermon during the evening services was given by Rev. Fr. Stanley Wlodyska, of Ellicott, Md., and he later gave the papal blessing.

The Eucharistic procession was held with the clergy, altar boys, and sodalists dressed in their sodality capes taking part.

Earlier in the afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock, the sodalists held a retreat in the church. Father Wlodyska gave two sermons during the conference one on the Holy Eucharist and the other on the aims of the sodality. Rev. Fr. Kuczyński gave the meditations of the afternoon with appropriate readings.

Priests assisting in the sanctuary were: Rev. Fr. Francis McCarter, Rev. Fr. Francis Sirelli, Rev. Fr. Francis King, Rev. Fr. John M. Lineer, Rev. Fr. Elias G. Nader, Rev. Fr. Fred Atkinson, Rev. Fr. V. O'Donnell, Rev. Fr. James Kernan, Rev. Fr. Francis Lesniak, Rev. Fr. Joseph Pernatowski and Rev. Fr. E. Piskulik.

Benediction of the blessed sacrament, and Holy God We Praise Thy Name closed the services.

This morning, Father Wlodyska offered mass at 8:30 o'clock for the deceased members of the Madonna church.

INDUSTRY CENTER ON FORMOSA IS BADLY WRECKED

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perhaps even cut off," declared a staff member of the fifth airforce after studying reconnaissance photographs taken of the target area following the raid.

The assault, the staff officer said, had knocked out three-quarters of Formosa's hydro-electric generating capacity by concentrating on the two largest units in the Jitsugetsu scheme. The power plant and transformers were wrecked by the 2,000-pound missiles while water was left pouring from the broken penstocks.

Bomb Takao's Factories

At the same time that the heavyweights were concentrating on the hydro-electric plant, other of the bombers and their Mustang escorts worked over much-bombed Takao's factory area, starting large fires.

Only one U. S. plane was lost to anti-aircraft fire during the Jitsugetsu raid, according to MacArthur's regular communiqué which also told of "widespread destruction" caused by patrol planes maintaining their blockade of the China sea lanes. At least 10 enemy surface vessels were sunk or damaged.

The communiqué revealed also that in ground action on Luzon 25th and 32nd division elements "fiercely repulsed" at least six desperate Jap counter-attacks in the Balete pass area. The enemy, the communiqué said, was trying to stem the Yanks' "enveloping advance."

FEEDING NAZIS MAY BE NEXT PROBLEM OF U. S.

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uages, thus making it impossible for the German population in that area to live off the products of the land.

Furthermore, the zones of Germany occupied by the other two great powers may also require importation of American food, officials said.

Thus there is an unhappy prospect that all three of the major areas of Germany will be deficient in food supplies, and will require importations from the only Allied country likely to have food available for export.

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RUSSIAN FORCES SWEEP FORWARD TOWARD VIENNA

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thousands of enemy troops along the river, where Soviet planes blasted enemy remnants attempting crossings to the southern bank. More than 250 tanks and self-propelled guns were destroyed or captured during the advance.

The Third Ukrainian army, meanwhile, thrusting northwest between Lake Balton and the Danube, captured the town and railway station of Varosloed and more than 30 other towns and villages.

Take 8,000 Enemy Prisoners

An additional 8,000 prisoners were taken by the Russians in the battles for Danzig and for the East Prussian capital of Königsberg, whose Baltic port of Pillau was blasted by Soviet heavy bombers.

The Red air force also struck at Danzig, setting more than 50 fires in the rail junction and port areas. The Soviet high command announced "several fires and large explosions were observed" in Pillau.

Along the approaches to Gdynia, meanwhile, Soviet forces beat off numerous enemy counter-attacks and captured the town of Kiew-Katz. Six German landing barges were sunk by the Red air force in Danzig Bay.

The Third White Russian army, tightening its ring around Königsberg, took 9,000 prisoners on the East Prussian front in two days' fighting, Moscow announced. These were in addition to those taken in the battle for Heiligenbeil.

LONDON, March 26.—A front dispatch to the Russian newspaper Pravda, broadcast by the Moscow radio, said today that the Soviet armies had broken open the doors to Austria, Czechoslovakia and southern Germany.

A German dispatch, broadcast at about the same time, said that the Russians had launched a new large-scale attack on the lower Rhine river.

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PERSONAL MENTION

George H. Gray, Adams street, has returned home after spending ten days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Glasser, Greenville.

Mrs. Gerald O. Brown of Laurel avenue left today for Hastings, Neb., where she will join her husband, S-Sgt. Brown, who is stationed there.

Word is received here telling of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. McCowan, the former SM.

Three children, 3 in the Philippine Islands, on March 19 in Lawrenceville, Tenn. They are former residents of New Galilee.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard C. Glenn of Harlanburg attended the Butler Farm Equipment club meeting on the evening of March 21 at the Willard hotel, Butler. At this meeting slides were shown on "Postwar Planning" and "Looking Ahead as to Needs of the Farmer."

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Slught of 448 County Line street have returned home after spending two months in Miami, Fla., and their grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Don Fleegeer. They were also guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack White, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Fleegeer and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Middleton, all former New Castle residents.

BIRTHS

(Announcements to appear in this column must be signed with name and address of mother, and also give name of doctor.)

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. William McKee, Harrisville, a son, Jameson McKee, Memorial hospital, March 25.

Born: To S-Sgt. and Mrs. George Kolesar, 626 South Mill street, a son, Jameson Memorial hospital, March 24.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Strickburg, 927 East Washington street, a son, Jameson Memorial hospital, March 25.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Ernest B. Dambaugh, R. D. 1, Portersville, a son, Jameson Memorial hospital, March 25.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. John J. Stevenson, Volant, a daughter, Jameson Memorial hospital, March 26.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peo, Hillsville, a son, Jameson Memorial hospital, March 26.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Camerot, of Eleventh street, West Pittsburg, announce the birth of a daughter, March 24, in the New Castle hospital.

SGT. SANFILIPPO RECOVERS HEALTH

THE 91ST GENERAL HOSPITAL, England, Sam Sanfilippo, 29, of 702 Oak street, New Castle, Pa., has now recovered at this U. S. Army general hospital from wounds received in Germany on November 15, 1943.

He is a member of an infantry unit, and has been in the Army since January 29, 1942. His wife, Ann Sanfilippo, lives at 56 Boyd street, Glasgow, Scotland.

Deaths of the Day

James W. Craig

James W. Craig of Harding road, Ingomar, Pa., passed away Sunday morning following a brief illness at his home.

Mr. Craig, son of the late Thomas Foster Craig and Isabelle Blaine Craig, was born at East Brook. He was a member of Fairmont Presbyterian church, Ambridge lodge No. 701, F. and A. M., the Pennsylvania Scottish Rite and Syria Mosque.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Blanche Beeler Craig; three brothers, C. P. and A. R. Craig, both of New Castle, and R. B. Craig, West Palm Beach, Fla.; and one sister, Mrs. Mabel Sampson, New Castle.

Funeral services will be conducted Tuesday evening at eight o'clock from the Brandt funeral home, Perryville, Pa.

Interment will take place Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock in Oak Park cemetery, New Castle.

Mary Jane Musser

Mary Jane Musser, aged 78 years, died Sunday morning at 10:20 o'clock at the home of her son-in-law, Frank Norris, of Edgewood avenue extension, where she had resided for the past 22 years. She had been in ill health for the past two years, having grown worse the past week.

She was born in Missouri, September 28, 1866, and was the daughter of the late John Jacob Musser and Christina Price Musser.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Hattie M. Ferree, New Castle; one son, Harry Musser, Portersville; two brothers, John and Alfred Musser, Portersville; six grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

A daughter, Mrs. Frank Norris, preceded her in death 14 years ago.

Funeral services will be conducted Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Howard L. Reynolds funeral home, Adams street.

Interment will take place in the Princeton Lutheran cemetery.

Friends are being received at the funeral home this evening from 7 to 9 o'clock.

Mrs. Hannah Stitt Hiler

Mrs. Hannah Stitt Hiler, aged 72 years, widow of C. Edward Hiler, of 316 Sycamore street died this morning at 5 o'clock at her home as the result of an illness of complications of three years' duration.

Mrs. Hiler, daughter of the late Jonathan and Nancy Smiley, was born January 22, 1873, in Altoona. She spent most of her life in New Castle, where she was a member of the Clifton Flats mission.

Survivors include three sons, Clarence, Charles R. and William L. Stitt, all of New Castle; and three daughters, Earl and Frances Hiler and Mrs. Pearl Lutton, all of New Castle; one brother, Wilbur Smiley of Sharon; two sisters, Mrs. Sara Linton of this city and Mrs. Jane Baintline, Massillon, O.; nine grandchildren, three great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be conducted Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Ritchie funeral home, South Mill street, with Rev. Samuel Baker officiating.

Interment will take place in Greenwood cemetery.

Friends are being received at the funeral home this evening and Tuesday afternoon from 7 to 9 o'clock.

Daniel D. Baker

Daniel D. Baker, 63, of 219 Galt street, Youngstown, O., died at 3:30 this morning at his residence.

He was employed as a conductor for the P. & L. E. railroad for 43 years and had retired January of this year. He was born January 16, 1882, in Carbon, son of Emma Rodebaugh Baker, and the late William D. Baker. He was a member of the First Christian church and of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen.

He is survived by his wife, Mary Jane Stiles Baker, his mother, Mrs. Emma Baker, of Euclid, O.; two sons, Dr. Morgan W. Baker of Youngstown, and Pvt. Daniel J. Baker, U.S.M.C., in the Philippines; and one daughter, Mrs. Elmer Reilley, of New Castle, Pa. He also leaves three grandchildren and three sisters, Mrs. James Nicholls of Youngstown, and Mrs. Hallie Broadley and Mrs. Frank A. Rolla, both of Euclid, O.

Funeral services will be held on Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 (4:30 EWT) p. m. at the Shriver-Alison South Side funeral home, Youngstown. Calling hours will be Tuesday evening at the funeral home.

Mrs. Smialowski Funeral

Funeral services for Mrs. Louise Smialowski, of 519 West Park way, were conducted Saturday at 2 p. m. from the J. R. Noga funeral home, Rev. Theodore Yahn and Rev. James Menzies in charge.

Singers were Mrs. Walter Bender and Mrs. John Freed.

Palbearers were: William Alexander, Walter and Joseph Bok, John Tabisz, Carl Barth and C. R. McQuay.

Interment was in Castle View Burial Park.

McMurray Funeral

Funeral services for William McMurray of Scott township were held Saturday from the Plainsgrove U. P. church, Rev. M. G. Munn in charge.

Palbearers were Clifford Martin, Glenn Moorehead, Clare Stoughton, Ralph Stoughton, Charles McMurray and Guy Gwinn.

Interment was in the church cemetery.

Nelson Funeral

Funeral services for Eric Nelson were held from the Cunningham funeral home, Bessemer, Sunday at 2:30 p. m. Rev. W. J. Engle in charge. Rev. E. C. Crabbs assisted.

Palbearers were Axel Anderson, August Anderson, Gunnar Carlson, John Carlson, Eric Olson and Axel Price.

Rev. Crabbs conducted services at the Forest Lawn cemetery, Youngstown, O.

Mrs. Lawler Funeral Time

High mass of requiem for Mrs. Mary Lawler, of 414 S. Beaman avenue, will be offered Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock, in St. Mary's church and interment will be in St. Mary's cemetery.

THIRD ARMY IS SMASHING AHEAD TOWARDS BERLIN

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snorting tanks clung to the turrets and shouted.

"On to Berlin! Let's get Hitler!" So crushing was the armored drive that white flags appeared throughout the sector and field positions surrendered with only minor resistance. The bleeding Wehrmacht failed miserably to rally at any point.

Cross Main River

The Fourth Armored Division drove well past Darmstadt on the south and crossed the main river, thus ringing the bell for the next round of the fight deep in the heart of Nazi land.

Flung several more crossings over the Rhine between Coblenz and Boppard, the colorful Patton cut loose with a typical Sunday punch which flattened every semblance of resistance.

Employing the crushing weight of his entire army, he sent the Fifth and 90th divisions fanning out in an onslaught so furious the smoke of battle sometimes obscured the sun. So many prisoners were taken it was impossible even to estimate the total.

Every Yank feels the big goal is in sight, and their spirit has a gloomy reflection in the remark of a captured German corporal.

"Ach Himmel!" he said. "It's the same story all over again as in France. American armor is running all over our holy land!"

WITH THE U. S. THIRD ARMY IN GERMANY, March 26.—(INS.) The United States Third Army smashed in on the once great German industrial city of Frankfurt on the Main today following its seventh crossing of the Rhine.

With the city already partly bypassed, crack Third Army detachments smashed to within six miles south of Frankfurt at one point and eight miles southwest at another.

Lieut. Gen. George S. Patton, Jr., commanding the Third Army, already has penetrated perhaps 30 miles east of the Rhine, decreed a blackout in news of the seventh river crossing and its exact point could not be divulged. Headquarters confirmed, however, that the 8th Division, which swept over the river south of Coblenz, is continuing to advance and now has appeared a mile and a half beyond its original bridgehead.

JAPANESE CLAIM LANDING ATTEMPT MADE ON PYUKYU

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barge" put into two of the Ryukyu islands—Akajima and Takashiki—under cover of an "intensive" bombardment by mighty warships and carrier aircraft.

Follows Heavy Shelling

"The enemy landing attempt was made after continuous aerial bombing attacks and Naval bombardments by the enemy task force since the morning of March 24 (Saturday) against Okinawa, main island of the Ryukyu group, as well as Miyakajima and Kerama Jima," the enemy's Domei agency declared.

As many as 11 battleships—possibly including the formidable new 45,000-ton dreadnaughts—and some 15 aircraft carriers were in the fleet supporting the invaders who, according to the enemy, first tried to land at 7:30 a. m. Sunday.

"Fiercely Engaged"

Japanese garrison forces were said to be "fiercely" engaged in "intercepting" the Yank assault troops, which were described as numbering in the thousands.

Nimitz, who previously revealed that warships of his U. S. Fifth Fleet under command of Adm. Raymond A. Spruance for two successive days subjected Okinawa to an earth-shaking shelling, made no mention of that stepping-stone island in his regular communiqué.

However, the communiqué did reveal that carrier-based planes of the Fifth Fleet caught an enemy convoy on Saturday in waters west of the Amami Guntō islands of the Ryukyu chain and completely destroyed the Jap flotilla.

ROB DINER AGAIN

Smith's diner, South Mercer street, apparently is attractive to thieves, possibly of tender age. They entered the diner yesterday and took bananas and chewing gum. They scattered the banana peels outside the diner. Detectives hope to apprehend the boys. The diner has been entered several times.

RANSACK OFFICE

John Dinello, manager, Western and Southern Life Insurance company, reported someone ransacked the drawers in office desks at the insurance company, Centennial building, some time March 24.

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Sadly missed by his Sister. 10

Pvt. Paul Diller Killed In Action

East Side Soldier Met His Death In Belgium February 8, Had Previously Been Reported Missing

Mrs. Paul Diller of Tempelena avenue has received a telegram from the War Department stating that her husband, Pvt. Paul Diller, aged 23 years, who had been reported as missing in action in Belgium on February 8, has now been listed as killed on that date.

Pvt. Diller entered the service on July 24, 1944, and went overseas in January. He trained at Camp Croft, S. C. Pvt. Diller was serving with the 34th Infantry. He was employed at the Johnson Bronze company before entering the service.

Besides his wife, Mrs. Mary Emma Duckworth Diller, he leaves a small son, Paul, aged 18 months; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Diller, of 1602 Wilson avenue, and one brother and four sisters: Michael Diller, in the U. S. Navy in the Pacific area; Pauline and Helen Diller, Mrs. Annabelle Snyder and Jane Diller, all of New Castle.

World War II Vets Elect Commander

Frank Nemeth of Bethlehem is Named First Commander By Newly Organized Veterans

HARRISBURG, March 26.—(INS.)—Frank Nemeth of Bethlehem today headed the newly organized Pennsylvania department of American Veterans of World War II. He was elected during the first meeting of state chapters at Harrisburg.

Also elected were Norman Clock of Reading, first vice commander; Norman Gorson, Philadelphia, second vice commander; Randall Morton, Harrisburg, third vice commander; Allen Solada, Harrisburg, adjutant; and Joseph Duhig of Allentown, finance officer. Edward Weisenburg of Bethlehem was appointed public relations officer, and William Kreis of Allentown was chosen chaplain.

Posts represented at the Amvet conference were Allentown, Bethlehem, Reading, York, Philadelphia and Harrisburg.

Those northern Allied armies will force the withdrawal of all German legions in the northern plain. If they don't pull out, they will be captured or annihilated.

The American 1st Army bridgehead at Remagen will eventually drive north to clear the east bank of the Rhine and flank the Ruhr of the Rhine and flank the Ruhr of the Rhine and flank the Ruhr of the Rhine.

It certainly now looks as though the American 3rd and 7th Armies, and the French 1st would plunge eastward in spite of terrifically difficult mountainous country, in order also to hasten the collapse of the Nazis' last stand in the southern mountains.

FINDS STOLEN BICYCLE

Wilbur Erwin, Florence avenue, found the bicycle of Chester McCance, Harbor bridge, R. D. 2, in Florence avenue and returned it to police headquarters. It had been stolen, police stated.

AUTO UPSETS

Cruiser police at four a. m. Sunday found an auto which reportedly had been driven by Nick DeCarbo, Huey street, upset on the Schultz property in Butler avenue. The car was removed to the Chambers garage. No one was hurt, according to police headquarters.

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Most Modern Carrier

The world's heaviest, strongest, fastest aircraft carrier is now afloat. She is the U. S. S. Midway, 45,000 tons of concentrated power. And her name, as Artemus L. Gates, assistant secretary of the navy for air, pointed out at the christening ceremonies, is exceptionally appropriate. It was at the Battle of Midway that the aircraft carrier came into its own.

The Navy learned much at the Battle of Midway. Since then the Navy's hard-won knowledge has been put to good use in the building and handling of aircraft carriers. The Midway is a milestone in that program of development. Just as the Independence was the first of the present light carrier class and the Essex was the first of the medium carrier class, now the Midway is the first of the heavy carrier class.

And as befits her classification, the Midway carries a heavyweight's protection and punch. She has been given, according to Mr. Gates, heavy armor, intricate watertight compartmentation and improved damage control "great strides in the direction of invulnerability." In addition, Mr. Gates revealed that she will carry swarms of a 1945-model aircraft so new that it has not yet seen action in combat.

Although details of the Midway's construction, equipment and performance necessarily must remain secret, there is no concealment of the fact that she is the most modern aircraft carrier. When she is commissioned she will be one of the most lethal weapons in the armory of what already is the world's most potent fleet.

Swiss Concessions

In their new agreement with the Allies the Swiss have gone as far as could be expected from a people with a centuries-old tradition of strict neutrality. Their action in cutting off all electricity exports to Germany and in stopping shipments of German coal through Switzerland to Nazi forces in Italy will be of material help to the Allies in these closing days of the war.

The other agreements which have been reached will be of still more importance in helping to prevent the Nazis from cashing in on their stolen loot. All German assets in Switzerland have been frozen and all dealing in foreign currencies has been stopped. Finally, the Swiss government has made broad commitments to facilitate the restitution of looted property to its rightful owners.

It has been no fault of the Swiss that they have been so long in according to such Allied requests. During the greater part of the war they have been virtually at the mercy of the Nazis. The Swiss could import no food and export none of their manufactured goods except through German-held territory.

Under the circumstances, it is hardly remarkable that the Swiss had some commercial dealings with the Germans. What is more notable is that they held so firmly to their neutral ground and resisted Nazi demands so successfully.

Their present concessions to the Allies infringe in no respect on Swiss neutrality. But they make it plain that the Swiss stand firmly, as they always have, for justice, law and order.

Ten-Ton Bombs

Britishers are calling their newest bomb "Ten-Ton Tess." On this side of the Atlantic the new destruction device is described as 25 feet in length and weighing eleven tons, an amazing load of explosives for an airplane to carry.

The difference in weight estimates is due to a curious custom of the British. An English ton consists of 20 hundredweights but an English hundredweight weighs 112 pounds. So the new bomb is a ten-tonner in terms of 2,240-pound tons, but weighs about eleven tons in American reckoning.

So far it is only known by observation from the air what happens when ten or eleven tons of steel and explosives falls five miles to their target. It may be assumed that a great deal happens. It is hoped and expected that the new bomb will be useful in shattering submarine pens, forts and flak towers built of massive concrete.

Experience with the bomb, indeed, may answer an ancient question: What happens when an irresistible force meets an immovable object?

Postwar Traffic Perils

Another worry concerning the postwar era has been given to the public, and it concerns a traffic peril. Carroll E. Mealey, New York regional director of the National Safety Council, points out that defective automobiles will prove outstanding hazards on the highways with the return of peacetime traffic volume. He asserts that because of the shortages of replacement parts and skilled mechanics, it is possible that a large proportion of motor units will be in poor operating condition for two or three years after the war. He also predicts a considerable time lag in the replacement of tires.

Obviously, the use of defective automobiles constitutes a hazard at the present time. It is estimated that 1,500,000 passenger automobiles will go out of service this year. The portion of that number still on the road cannot be in very good shape. The prudent driver is aware of this menace and drives accordingly. But when the war is over and gasoline restrictions are removed, there will be much more traffic and the hazard will be increased as driving increases.

It might be contended that considerable time will elapse after the war before there will be a return to normal peacetime traffic volume. Cars have been going to the junk heap since the war began and will continue to do so in ever increasing numbers. It will be some time before new automobile manufacturing, following the period of reconversion of plants, will be able to fill the gap. If the shortages of parts and mechanics continues in that intervening period, the old cars on the highways will be in worse shape than ever.

Perhaps the only hope of avoiding a high accident rate in that period is intensification of programs designed to make the motorist and pedestrian aware of the perils they face and their obligation to safeguard the lives of others. William D. Weitz, supervisor of the New York State Education department, in commenting on the need of accident prevention education, says:

"Unless we immediately consider the development of good attitudes in the minds of motorists and pedestrians, we will not be successful in the reduction of the present high rate of pedestrian and motor vehicle accidents. This change can only take place through the aid of planned training programs in the transportation industry, supplemented by driver education in the schools."

The custom of apologizing to the son of heaven for every reverse created steady work for Koiso.

For years scientists have studied how to increase the Jap stature. It is reported. It is understandable if they have given up the quest as hopeless.

WASHINGTON CALLING

by MARQUIS CHILDS

Gen. Eisenhower Dislikes Personal Publicity

SUPREME HEADQUARTERS, Allied Expeditionary Force, March 26.—Side by side on one wall of General Eisenhower's private office are etchings of President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill, each inscribed with friendly warmth to the supreme commander of the allied expeditionary force.

The only other pictures in the almost severe room are of his family. In a folding leather frame on his desk are photographs of his wife and son, Lieutenant John S. D. Eisenhower. On a bookcase across the room, on a level with his eyes when he looks up, is a photograph of his mother.

The latter picture is remarkable for its simplicity. His mother, wearing a gingham dress, is seated in a rocking chair on the front porch of her home in Abilene, Kan. Bright sunlight makes a kind of halo of her pure white hair.

Only two small maps are on the walls of the room. One is a detailed relief map of an important sector of the Rhine.

Surgical Neatness
The supreme commander's office, like the entire headquarters building, has an almost surgical neatness. In it, Eisenhower receives military leaders and civilian dignitaries from all over the world. His aides make every effort to keep appointments moving with clocklike precision. When some gigwig is late, they fret impatiently.

The general spends more time touring the fronts in his motorized caravan than he spends at headquarters. He has one trailer for personal use and one for an office. Accommodations are also provided for his aides. The caravan is so set up that the whole party can be on the road in half an hour. As a matter of protocol, Eisenhower never visits his commanders without advance notice. He sends word asking if he can come, and naturally the answer is always yes. With most of the top men in his command, he is on terms of personal friendship.

The supreme commander also has his own plane and crew. This gives him even greater mobility in getting about the far-flung fronts.

Same Team Around Him
The team immediately around him has remained almost unchanged during his term as number one. The individuals closest to him are his personal aides. Serving in that capacity are: Lieutenant Colonel James F. Gault, of the Scots Guards and Lieutenant Colonel Ernest R. Lee of San Antonio, Tex.

In a way, these two men typify Eisenhower's command. They could hardly be more nearly opposites in background and outward manner. Gault is very British, and Lee is very Texan.

A third aide is Captain Harry Butcher, an old friend who was with Eisenhower during the entire French invasion. Butcher, a former vice president of Columbia Broadcasting, took a commission in the navy at the outset of the war and was promptly assigned as an aide to Eisenhower. Later, he has been devoting considerable time to special assignments, but hopes soon to be back at headquarters.

Dislikes Personal Publicity
The supreme commander dislikes personal publicity. He looks back to the tradition established in World War I by General Pershing, who also tried to avoid personal exploitation.

Another model to whom Eisenhower looks in setting his own course of conduct is his chief in Washington, General George C. Marshall. When he speaks of Marshall, it is in terms of almost reverent admiration for a man whom he believes to be among the very greatest of Americans.

Eisenhower is keenly aware of the currents of opinion back home. He believes that volatile shifts from pessimism to optimism harm the war effort. As he sees it, there is nothing to do but work and fight until final victory comes.

He himself, of course, made a public prediction that the war would end in 1944, and he has not been allowed to forget that prediction. But it was based on the assumption that the German leaders would follow a logical course and surrender before their entire country was in ruins.

The long-term mood of the German people would have dictated capitulation in September or October, when the borders of Germany were reached by the allies. A recent tour of occupied Germany has set the supreme commander to wondering whether the nation will ever recover from the knockout blows now being dealt to it.

When pressed, he has said his own post-war plans do not go beyond six months of fishing on some quiet stream bank. He knows how much the war has taken out of him and out of millions of others whose increasing concern, 24 hours a day and seven days a week, is final victory.

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Hints On Etiquette

A buffet breakfast may be served at noon; a luncheon at 1 or 2 o'clock; a supper at any time in the evening.

The State Police Say:

Another dangerous spring time accident hazard is the soft shoulders, or berm, along the improved portion. The driver who permits his vehicle to drop off the hard road surface onto these soft shoulders is very likely to crash before he gets it back, especially if he is traveling fast. In order to prevent such accidents, be alert, keep the speed down, if your car does drop off the berm, try to slow down gradually, do not try to bring the car back on the highway too quickly. Many accidents are caused this way when the right front wheel suddenly comes up over the berm, causing the car to swerve to the left out of control.

We found our honest man the other day. When someone calls on the telephone for him and he doesn't want to see the caller, he doesn't force his secretary to be saying he is out of the office. Not

Toonerville Folks

By FONTAINE FOX

EPH WORTLE HAS A TRAINED PARROT TO AID HIM IN HIS ANNUAL FEUD WITH THE ROAD COMMISSIONER



HINTS AND DINTS

Sun sets tonight 7:16. Sun rises tomorrow 6:36.

Making a victory garden this year is important. From what we hear there will be a great scarcity of food. Make a bigger one this year.

The Red Cross does work all over the world. It does good work where no other organization can go. It takes a lot of money, so do your part.

ALWAYS FOUND OUT

The younger married man was talking with his dad and his uncle, and the chat got around to stories. "From what I have heard," the younger one said, "the art of telling a story consists of knowing what to leave unsaid."

"My boy," the uncle put in, "I don't think it really makes any difference. In my own case I have learned that she always finds out anyway."

At housecleaning time a lot of women find things they wonder why they keep, but keep them just the same.

This story is told about (name deleted) who loves golf, much to the disgust of his mother-in-law.

He persuaded her to visit the course and watch him play. Speaking to his partner he said: "I am particularly anxious to make a perfect drive this time, as that is my mother-in-law over there, and—"

"Don't be absurd," interrupted the other. "You'll never hit her at 200 yards."

Very often we go to meetings and the only thing we feel like saying "I move we adjourn."

Some seek men they can trust. Others seek men they can "work."

THIS IS SUSPENSE

When the check is \$160, you have \$180, and your lady is deciding whether or not to have a desert.

A bachelor was asked why he insisted on keeping a parrot. "Because," he explained, "I like to hear it talk. The parrot is the only creature gifted with the power of speech that is content to repeat just what it hears without trying to make a good story."

Whoever tells you tales about others will tell others tales about you.

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TIP FOR CREDITORS

We stopped at a friend's store the other day, and a customer came rushing in with a bill.

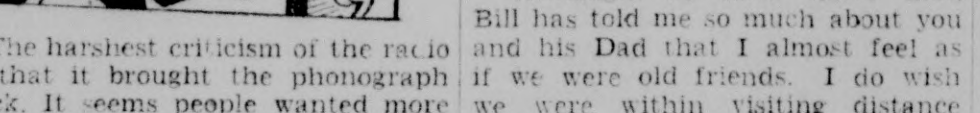
"You've made a mistake on this," he cried. "You've billed me for \$15.75 and I only owe you for \$5.75."

The merchant looked in his books, apologized profusely and collected the \$5.75.

"You know," he said, when the customer left, "I've been trying to collect that \$5.75 for six months, but the man wouldn't come near me. I finally sent him that bill for \$15.75, and it sure brought him in, didn't it."

To get a reputation for generosity, all you have to do is give away things you don't care for yourself.

Ho Hum says: "Laziness in a man seems to have no effect in keepin' down th' size of his family."



The harshest criticism of the radio is that it brought the phonograph back. It seems people wanted more good music.

The girl got a job as a junior clerk.

"Now see here, Miss Jones," the boss said. "You know what your salary is. Remember that it is your personal business, a confidential matter, not to be disclosed to anyone."

"Don't worry, sir," the girl replied. "I'm just as much ashamed of it as you are."

Most of them will gladly go back to the kitchen when peace comes. No man ever raves about a girl's wonderful riveting.

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Tomorrow—Thanking Hostess

The Parent Problem

By Garry C. Myers, Ph. D.

CHILDREN IN BROKEN HOMES

In conversation with school principals and teachers in various parts of the United States during the past few years I have been impressed with the large number who refer to the child from the home broken by divorce. The other day, an elementary teacher said, "I'm getting to be a problem even of keeping records, with so many children having one or several stepfathers." She added: "Recently a boy, 12, told me, 'I have four parents. I spend the winter here with my mother and stepfather and the summer in Texas with my father and stepmother. I have a pretty hard time getting along with all of them.'"

Following a public forum Mrs. Myers and I held on that same day, a girl 14 years old came to ask us whether she should remain with her mother and stepfather in Los Angeles or go to her father and stepmother in New York City. It was up to her to choose, each of her true parents tugging at her heartstrings. "My father promises me a trip around the world if I will come with him. Always my mother and I get into a fight when she says something ugly about my father; yet I'm not sure my stepmother and I would like each other."

Needed Help
When Mrs. Myers and I admitted our uncertainty about what to advise her, on the basis of the limited facts we had, she rebuked us with "I must have help. I must decide soon." Then she was referred to the American Institute of Family Relations in her city or, alternatively, there are throughout the nation some counselors in junior and senior high schools and some pastors, priests and rabbis to whom these parents and their children can go for good advice.

But there are so many of these troubled youth in broken homes; and the "broken" homes are only part of the picture. There are also many tragic homes not yet broken. However, last year in Los Angeles county, California, there were 33,600 marriages and 27,000 court applications for divorce, nearly all of which were granted.

Rate of Divorce

While the rate of divorce is not high elsewhere, it has been rising rapidly for some years, with a spurt since Pearl Harbor. The youngsters from 10 to 16 have been the most pathetic victims, as a rule. How are they going to get their moorings in this troubled world? How can they hope to establish a happy family life of their own, rear children to be happy and in turn bring up happy children?

Who can imagine the number of future broken homes, socially inherited from any one divorce, or even from strained relations between a pair of parents. Parents who really love their children should have a stronger urge than many seem to have, to try harder to get on together agreeably.

Dark as the picture is, there are thousands of happy married couples with growing children who are learning by precept and example, a deep regard for the rights and feelings of others as sacred personalities, getting enough discipline at home to gradually acquire good self-discipline. I even believe that such homes will prevail overwhelmingly in the distant future.

To this end, more and more of those looking forward to marriage will exercise their best abilities in choosing a mate wisely and while not looking for perfection, render themselves as fit as possible to be a good wife or husband and strive with self-discipline and integrity and a firm resolve to succeed. There is no royal road to continuing marital happiness. The most important relationship in the family is the father-mother relationship.

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Explorers say that they have encountered songbirds far north of the Arctic Circle. We imagine the first robin must arrive there about July 4.

Zai so, G. I.? We thought what had hit the Saar was an Allied blitz-ard!

Good Taste

By G. S. P. (P. S. FRANKLIN MARKEL)

WRITING TO FIANCÉE'S MOTHER

"My fiancée has recently been sent overseas and has asked me to write to her parents. Although we have made no public announcement of our engagement, both his parents and mine know of it and our post-war marriage plans. Do you think it is proper for me to write to them even though we have never met and since they have never written to me? If so, what should I say?"

Answer: It is the duty of the young man's family to call on his fiancée, if possible, within a day or so after the announcement of the engagement. When distance prohibits, as it evidently does in your case, a letter of welcome into the family should then be sent to the girl.

Perhaps your fiancée's mother does not know that a letter is expected of her. Her failure would so indicate. Therefore, I think you should "break the ice." Someone should!

You might send a note some what similar to this, adding any necessary personal touch:

"Although we have never met, Bill has told me so much about you and his Dad that I almost feel as if we were old friends. I do wish we were visiting distance so that we might become acquainted and have an opportunity to exchange bits of news about Bill, who, naturally, is my favorite topic of conversation. Mother and I would be simply delighted to have you and Mr. Smith pay us an extended visit if you could arrange to come out this way. Let me know the day of your arrival and I'll be waiting at the station."

If she writes and invites you to visit them, which she will doubtless do, be sure to go if you can do so. For you should become acquainted with your fiancée's family before your marriage.

Miss Markel will promptly mail answers to questions from readers including a self-addressed, stamped envelope.

But this figure is still further reduced by other factors. Approximately

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Washington Report

Watch German Reaction To Eisenhower Appeal
Tokyo Radio Hysterical After Bombing Raids
Interest Shown In Coming Congress ElectionsBy HELEN ESSARY
Central Press Columnist

WASHINGTON, March 26.—Washington is watching with considerable interest the results of Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's direct radio appeal to German army officers to surrender in the light of reports that Field Marshal Gerd von Rundstedt had asked the Allies for peace terms.

Eisenhower's broadcast immediately preceded the reported peace overtures and left some military observers wondering whether the appeal was reading material results throughout the German army corps.

Eisenhower's "request" to the enemy officers was the first issued by a high Allied military official since the war began. Its wording, however, left no doubt that the Casablanca "unconditional surrender" terms were still applicable. But it stressed the utter futility of continued bloodshed by the German army and sought to divide the officer corps and their well-publicized enemies, the Nazi party.

The broadcast was apparently prepared, too, with the Russian plan of utilizing captured German officers in mind. Soviet authorities since the siege of Stalingrad have demanded General von Seydlitz and von Paulus on frequent radio programs into the Reich, urging immediate German surrender.

War Cost Tremendous

Representative Jerry Cooper (D-Tennessee) reminded Congress that it costs money to wage war. He revealed that as of January 31, it has cost the United States \$273,982,000,000.

Cooper said that 95 cents out of every dollar spent by the federal government these days is for the cost of the war.

Result: The federal deficit for the fiscal year ending June 30 of this year will be over the \$33,000,000,000 mark.

Washington is keeping an ear close to Jap radio reports of life in the Nip homeland. In spite of the tendency of many Americans to view Oriental actions in Occidental terms, Washington diplomats and military experts are seeking to determine the importance of every Japanese decision as it affects the future course of the war in the Pacific.

There is quite a difference, they say, in Jap reactions to American bombing than is found in German radio broadcasts.

Tip-off on this score came during the 300-plane B-29 bombing raid on Tokyo when a Nip radio commentator frantically told his audience that the Americans were making a landing on the homeland.

The Nazis, on the other hand, are thorough, stolid and fatalistic and old hands at the game of war. Nothing like the Jap reaction emanated from Berlin.

Meanwhile official Washington watches every enemy word in deadly silence.

Roosevelt Grip May Slip

Seldom has there been as much advance interest in elections as there is in Congress in the congressional elections of 1946 and the presidential race in 1948. This interest springs from the realization of politicians that the nation is at the crossroads of great decisions which may decide the future pattern of America.

They also sense that President Roosevelt's grip on the electorate may slip by the time 1946 or 1948 rolls around. There is a widespread belief in Congress that the fourth term will be Mr. Roosevelt's last, regardless of his own plans, that his health simply will not permit him to carry on beyond the present four years.

As for the Republicans, they see an opportunity to capture control of the House, and possibly the Senate, in 1946. Democratic candidates for the House will be minus FDR's voting support and prestige next year, they point out.

And the Democrats have a feeling there will be at least three aspirants for the Democratic presidential nomination in 1948—Vice President Harry Truman, Secretary of Commerce Henry A. Wallace and Senator Harry F. Byrd of Virginia.

What People Say

By International News Service

NEW YORK—Attorney General Frank Biddle, warning against the acceptance of cartels in world trade: "I dread what will become of a world where cartelization is accepted; where enormously increased regulation by the government necessarily follows, so that eventually the individual's choice of work, even his choice of where to work, will be dictated."

WASHINGTON—Brig. Gen. Lauris Norstad, chief of staff of the 20th Air Force reporting on the recent Superfortress strikes at Japanese industry: "Such a high cost has never before been inflicted on any enemy in an eight-day period and the 21st Bomber Command is just getting started on its job of strategic bombing to reduce Japan's war production."

PARIS—Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, broadcasting a warning to German women of the Ruhr to leave their homes despite the loss of work and rations: "Wages and rations are of no use to the dead."

Words Of Wisdom

To pardon those absurdities in ourselves that we cannot suffer in others, is neither better nor worse than to be more willing to be fools ourselves than to have others so.—Pope.

LOOKING AT LIFE

By ERICH BRANDEIS

When the time for writing today's column arrived, I didn't have a thought in my head.

So, naturally, I got peeved and like every married man who is peeved, I started to pick on my wife. "Pretty easy for you," I said with a sneer, "just do a little housekeeping and then you're all done."

"Is that so?" said my wife. "If you think it's so easy why don't you try it for a day? Maybe you'll see which one of us has the easier job."

I laughed. What a joke. All right, I'll take you up on your proposal. Today I'll do the housekeeping and you write the column.

"Suits me," she said and I went into the kitchen and she into my study.

Breakfast wasn't so bad. Anybody can dish out some apple sauce, toast a few slices of bread and boil four eggs.

Diswashing wasn't so awful, either, particularly because I had served the breakfast on paper plates.

Don't Forget
But my wife had reminded me sweetly:

"Don't forget, dear, today is laundry day. The man will be here about noon. So the beds will have to be stripped and changed and the laundry will have to be counted, and, by the way, please vacuum the bedroom floor. I always do that on Mondays. And you'd better get to the market early. You know how quickly everything is sold out. Don't ask me what I want for dinner. I just had my breakfast, and you know how hard it is to think of food on a full stomach."

Sometimes those words had a familiar ring to them. Seems to me that's what I usually tell my wife when she asks me what I want for dinner.

Well, I went at it with a vengeance. I never knew there were so many bedsheets on two beds, nor that bedsheets are that big. I never realized how distasteful it is to handle a lot of soiled linen or how difficult it is to make out these confounded laundry lists.

At any rate, I got the bundle made up. Now for the vacuum cleaner. I took it up to the bedroom and looked.

I guess I'd better make up the dinner menu

New Record Made In Attendance In Church Campaign

Sunday Schools Reach New Peak
In Next To Last Sunday
Of Campaign

With ideal spring weather, the best attendances of the 8-weeks pre-Easter increase campaign were registered yesterday, and now all participating Sunday schools have gained points in this better attendance effort being sponsored by the Lawrence County Sabbath School Association.

In the first New Castle group, where the competition seems to be keenest, the Second U. P. the First Presbyterian and Highland U. P. are first, second and third, respectively, with but slight difference in percentages, with the First Baptist and Third U. P. not far behind. The winner will not be known definitely until after next Sunday's figures are in. The Third U. P. had the largest attendance of the campaign to date yesterday, 370.

In the second New Castle group, the First U. P., First Christian and Nazarene are leading in that order, all with good percentages. In the third New Castle group, the Mahoning Methodist is leading with the Mahoningtown Presbyterian and Mahoning Memorial Primitive Methodist almost tied for second place. In the fourth New Castle group, the Wesley Methodist leads with the North Side Community in second place.

The attendance of the county schools outside of New Castle, was

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LIQUID BLUING**

also well above average yesterday and their percentages will be published later in the week. Perhaps the highest percentage of any Sunday school either in New Castle or county outside the city, will be registered by the Mt. Jackson U. P. of Mt. Jackson district, when their figures are published.

The church attendance figures were encouraging, the Second U. P. having 68 per cent of yesterday's Sunday school attendance that remained for the morning worship service. The total percentage figures range from 81 per cent to 60 per cent for the entire seven weeks of the campaign to date this year, which is better than last year.

Below are the percentage figures.

Sunday School Attendance

First New Castle Group	Pts	Pct.
Second U. P.	809	2.761
First Presbyterian	718	2.467
Highland U. P.	776	2.249
First Baptist	654	1.732
Third U. P.	600	1.465
First Methodist	228	.831
Epworth Methodist	105	.365
Second New Castle Group		
First U. P.	433	1.916
First Christian	243	1.056
The Nazarene	160	1.240
Central Christian	77	.346
Central Presbyterian	85	.491
Central Methodist	51	.325
Third New Castle Group		
Mahoning Methodist	164	1.261
Mahoningtown Presby.	72	.573
Mahoning M. P. Meth.	100	.982
Madison Ave. Christian	5	.059
Fourth New Castle Group		
Wesley Methodist	173	2.336
North Side Community	69	2.156
St. John's Lutheran	92	2.022
Savannah Methodist	5	.071

Church Attendance

Second U. P.	Pct.
First Christian	81
Central Christian	80
The Nazarene	79
Highland U. P.	78
Madison Mem. P. M.	76
First Baptist	75
Madison Ave. Christian	74
Mahoningtown Presbyterian	72
Third U. P.	68
First U. P.	63
Croton Methodist	67
First Presbyterian	62
Wesley Methodist	62
St. John's Lutheran	60

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IN U. S. ARMED SERVICE

(War Censorship Regulations Limit Information Allowed in This Column)

Lt. Kenneth L. Scheppelle, who is stationed at Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., with the U. S. Army Engineers, arrived home Saturday for a four-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Scheppelle, of 1303 North Mercer street.

Pfc. Richard Earl Marks of Cumberland Field, Ala., is spending a 10-day furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert J. Marks, Albion road, R. D. 1.

Pvt. Harold Woolway and wife and the former's mother, Mrs. Emily Bush of Santa Monica, Calif., are visiting with the latter's father, Gus Peterson of 659 East Washington street. Pvt. Woolway is on delay enroute to Fort Meade, Md.

Walter J. Dabrowski, son of Anthony Dabrowski, 1711 Morris street, has been promoted to master sergeant at Murco army airfield. Formerly stationed at Pezafello, Idaho, the 25-year-old non-com reported to Murco in December 1943, and has been serving as a pro-peller specialist there.

Sgt. Joseph E. Stelter has arrived safely in France, according to word received by his mother, Mrs. H. P. Stelter, RD 1, Wampum. Sgt. Stelter is with the combat engineers and has been in service for 25 months.

Apprentice Seaman Jean Irene Perro, 543 Butler avenue, has reported to the U. S. naval training station, Hunter college, The Bronx, N. Y., for six weeks' training on completion of which she will go to an advanced training school or to active duty.

Pvt. Robert Walton has returned to Fort Belvoir, Va., after spending a 15-day furlough with his wife, Mrs. Robert Walton and daughter, of RD 1. He is the son of William Walton of RD 1, Ellwood. Two brothers are also in service, Pvt. Joe Walton of Camp Sibert, Ala., and Pvt. John Walton of Camp Croft, S. C.

Pfc. James E. Leasure Jr. of Cherry Point, N. C., is spending a short furlough with his wife and family of R. D. 7. He is one of the five sons in service of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Leasure, West Washington street.

S. 2-c Joseph Vanassa has concluded a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Vanassa, of 217 Scott street. S. Vanassa made his last trip on a destroyer which escorted the President on his recent trip overseas. S. Vanassa's brother, Sgt. Albert Vanassa, has been missing in action over France since February 19. He was attached to the infantry of the Rainbow division of the U. S. Army.

Pfc. Aldo Veronise is spending a 10-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Veronise of R. D. 2, Youngstown road. At the conclusion of his visit he will return to Fort Monmouth, N. Y.

Pfc. Andy Reale, who was seriously wounded in Germany, November 10, has returned to a hospital at Atlantic City, N. J., after spending a short furlough here. He will soon undergo an operation on his wounds.

Joseph Temperato of 823 Chestnut street has been promoted to private first class. He is fighting with the 66th (Black Panther) Division in France.

Word has been received by Paul Simon of East Long avenue that his brother, Pfc. Alex Simon of the U. S. Marines, is located on the island of Iwo Jima. Pfc. Simon was heard on a broadcast, "It's Pacific Time," over WCAE on Wednesday evening at 7:45 o'clock. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Simon of Ellwood City.

Pvt. Ralph Brommer of R. D. 2, Wampum, has returned to New Cumberland, Pa., after spending a short visit with his wife and three children. Pvt. Brommer has learned that his son, S. 2-c Samuel M. Brommer, is awaiting reassignment at Treasure Island.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bodendorfer of 496 Bell avenue have received word that their son, Richard Paul Bodendorfer, seaman 2-c, has arrived in Honolulu. His brother, Sgt. George Bodendorfer, who has been stationed in Hawaii for the past five years, has been transferred to the South Pacific.

Pfc. Grant L. Shaffer, tank gunner, has arrived in France. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Shaffer of 204 Vine street.

Mrs. Clara Forconi, 4 West Home street, has received word that her son, Pvt. Gregory Forconi, has arrived overseas and is stationed somewhere in France with the infantry.

Infantry Concert Delights Audience

Infantry Concert Group Proves Delightful Surprise In Cathedral Saturday Night

There have been some excellent musical productions in the Scottish Rite Cathedral in the years past. But for musicianship, for quality, and for professional polish we can think of none that equals the program of the Infantry Concert Group which was presented Saturday night March 24th under the sponsorship of the War Finance Committee and the Metropolitan Concert Guild. It was top drawer entertainment.

From a group of infantrymen in Camp Gordon, Georgia, has been selected some of the finest orchestral musicians in the United States. The brilliant young artists from the symphony orchestras of New York, Philadelphia, Chicago, Minneapolis and Pittsburgh and the result is something so fine and artistic that today we are wondering if we actually heard such music or if it was just a dream.

The program was rich, not to the point of satiation but one that appealed to any one with the least spark of musical appreciation in his soul. Clair de Lune by Debussy, Rumanian Rhapsody by Enesco, Empress Waltz by Johann Strauss, Cuban Suite by Don Felipe, and for a little lighter fare a brilliant arrangement of "Stardust" by Carmichael and "Holiday" for Strings by Rose.

Five talk has little place in connection with such a concert but one of the jitters fans attending expressed it succinctly when she said "It was out of this world."

Balance, attack and release, interpretation, musicianship, this concert demonstrated what can be done. But no matter what the number was, light or heavy, the sheer brilliance of the performers enthralled. There was one solo, that of Pfc. Alvin Rudinsky who played "Tacetante" which was something to remember. Comes the peace and a little more civilian experience and this is a name you'll be remembering.

David Freitas Directs

Directing the concert group was Pfc. David Freitas. For his technique he goes back to something of the late great Creator, which is to say the late great Creator, which is to say the late great Creator, which is to say the late great Creator. But with all his gyrations, Mr. Freitas drew from the players and their instruments, tones that sang. The commander and business manager of the group is 1st Lt. David G. B. Farkas. T-Sergeant Harold A. Kupper was the narrator of the program, and prior to the first number Judge W. W. Braham, chairman of the War Finance Committee, spoke briefly, expressing his appreciation and that of the committee for the war bond workers and asking the same fine co-operation in the seventh campaign. Captain T. G. Hubbard introduced the group.

Pfc. Frank D. Johnson Is Killed In Action

South New Castle Boro Marine Killed In Iwo Jima Battle; Attended Shenango High

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson, of Gilmore street, received a telegram on Sunday from the War Department in Washington, D. C., advising them that their only son, Pfc. Frank D. Johnson, attached to the U. S. Marine, had been killed in action at Iwo Jima. He was 19 years of age in August, 1944.

Pfc. Johnson joined the service in December 12, 1943, and had been overseas about five months. Besides his parents, Mrs. Kenneth Tunstall and Miss Dorothy Johnson, at home, Mrs. Tunstall's husband is in the armed forces. Pfc. Johnson attended Shenango High school.

GRANDSON OF LOCAL WOMAN IS RELEASED

Mrs. Elizabeth Reare of North Mill street, whose grandson C. Lee Prosser, has been a prisoner of the Nazis for the past 20 months, has been released from a Nazi prison camp by the advance of Russians in the eastern part of Germany. A message just received by Mrs. Reare states. He is a former resident of Aliquippa, but made his home with his grandmother.

Saddle soap usually is an excellent dressing for leather. It should be used especially in hot weather, when leather may become sticky. Continued use of saddle soap may darken the leather, but it will keep it in good condition.

The regular council meeting of the St. Vitus Sodality scheduled for Thursday evening March 29, has been postponed until April 5. The sodality will receive holy communion in a body on Sunday, April 3, instead of April 1. April 12 is the next sodality meeting, instead of April 5.

The national motto, "E Pluribus Unum," was proposed by Franklin Adams and Jefferson, the committee appointed by Congress, July 4, 1776, to prepare designs for a seal. It means "one out of many."

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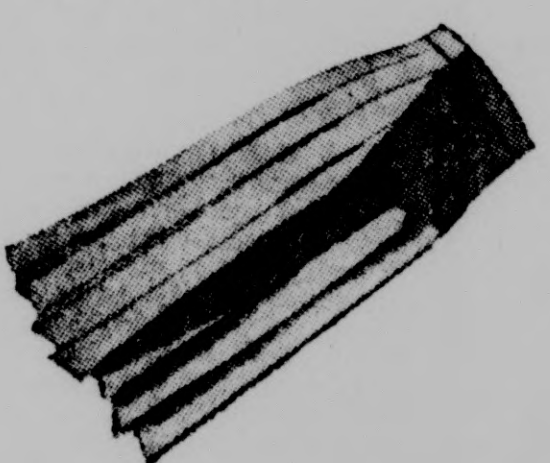
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PLUS WAR NEWS

Sgt. H. C. Lawrence Given Purple Heart

Sgt. Howard C. Lawrence, R. D. 1, New Castle, has been awarded the Purple Heart, for wounds received in Germany on February 11, 1945, according to word received from headquarters of the 774th Tank Battalion in Europe.

In spite of his injuries, his outfit's most recent action was in support of the 78th Infantry division in capturing towns around the Schwammann Dam, and the dam itself, vital key to the defensive system south of Duren along the Roer river. The sergeant is the husband of Mrs. Verna M. Lawrence, R. D. 1.

Soft drinks made of root juices mixed with water were sold as early as the Roman games, in the first century B. C.

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LAST TWO DAYS
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Grab Berlin First, Is Aim Of Yanks Now

By PIERRE J. HUSS
(U. S. Staff Correspondent)

WITH THE U. S. THIRD ARMY INSIDE GERMANY, March 26.—Great chunks of Adolf Hitler's once unmatched military machine blew apart in ashes and cinders today and the stunning impact of the United States Third Army's surge into Germany.

Powerful Third Army forces ripped and tore into the Wehrmacht at points roughly 250 miles below Berlin and only 280 miles from advanced Soviet units.

From vantage points inside this runaway bridgehead, it appears that Lieut. Gen. George S. Patton's breaking storm may soon engulf the remainder of the Wehrmacht in spectacular disaster.

To Grab Berlin First
Distance like 250 to 300 miles cross-country are regarded by rough-riding Patton as something to take a chance upon, particularly if Berlin or the end of the war beckons at the end of the road.

It goes without saying that the rank and file around this smoking battlefield now boisterously voice the opinion that "Old Blood and Guts" is "going to wind up this show in a hurry and grab Berlin first."

But I heard similar talk at the Remagen bridgehead. Boys of the United States Ninth Army are saying the same thing. It's a healthy spirit of rivalry and something akin to a race over the mangled body of the German army is likely to develop in the final stages.

The roads themselves are jammed with troops of Patton's hastening army, thus giving the spectator the rare picture of Europe in confusion and on the move in all directions. Cracking of the Wehrmacht is forecast as closed units are surrendering and even officers are beginning to talk.

Sgt. F. A. Ruscetti Dies In S. Dakota

Local Army Air Force Man Dies Sunday Following Operation In Sioux Falls, S. D.

Staff Sgt. Frank A. Ruscetti, aged 30 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Salvatore Ruscetti of 421 East Division street, died on Sunday morning at 4 o'clock, following an operation in the Regional hospital, at Sioux Falls, S. Dakota. He had been ill for three months.

Sgt. Ruscetti was a machinist in the A. F. Force. He was born in New Castle, December 13, 1914, and was raised in this city. He formerly operated a grocery store on Mabel street, prior to his induction. Sgt. Ruscetti has been in service for the past three and a half years.

He was a member of St. Vitus church. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Frances Ruscetti, whom he married two years ago; his parents, and the following brother and sisters: Sgt. Marshall Ruscetti, with the occupational forces in Italy; Elizabeth at home; Mrs. Margaret Volpe and Mrs. Mary Ambrose, a grandparent, Mrs. Rose Terrell.

His grandfather, Frank Terrell, died a week ago.

Solemn requiem high mass will be offered Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock in St. Vitus church, and interment will be in the church cemetery.

The body arrived from Sioux Falls, S. D. on the B. & O. railroad, this morning at 8:45 o'clock, and was taken to the DeCarbo funeral home, East Lutton street, where friends may call at any time after 5 o'clock this evening.

DOYLESTOWN—The return of Marine Cpl. John E. Wright from the Pacific war theater proved instrumental in saving his brother, Walter, 18, from imprisonment for larceny of an automobile. The Marine told the judge the theft reflected a frustrated attempt to join the Devil Dogs, and was given the custody of the youth.

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Epworth Methodist
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Central Presbyterian
Holy Week services will be conducted Monday through Thursday at the church from 12:15 to 12:45 p. m.

Central circle will meet at the church Thursday at 2 p. m. Officers will be elected. Mrs. Nancy Jones and Mrs. Minnie Mayers will be hostesses.

Candlelight communion service will be observed at the church on Thursday at 7:45 p. m.

Evangelical Mission
Evangelical service Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

On Friday evening at 8 o'clock a praise and testimony service at the mission.

Keely Free Methodist
Service Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Keely Free Methodist church, near Wampum.

First U. P.
Passion Week services will be conducted each evening beginning on Tuesday and continuing through Friday at 7:45 o'clock.

The Young People's society will have a sunrise prayer meeting on Easter morning at 6:30 o'clock. The program will be in charge of the young people, assisted by the church choir. Following the meeting, breakfast will be served in the church dining room. The societies of Highland and the Second church will be guests.

The choir will present the cantata "Hail to the Victor" by Woelker on Easter afternoon at 4 o'clock.

St. John's Holy Week Services
Wednesday, 7:45 p. m., sermon, "He Died for You".

Thursday, 7:45 p. m., administration of holy communion; sermon, "His Grace for You".

Good Friday, annual three-hour service at Beatty Lutheran church, noon until 3 p. m. "The Seven Words From the Cross".

Good Friday, 7:45 p. m., the litany service, sermon, "Heaven for You".

Highland U. P.
Bible School association will have its annual meeting this evening at 7:45 o'clock at the church.

McGill Missionary society will meet this evening at the home of Mrs. Lloyd McCormick, 1107 Delaware avenue.

Baird Missionary society luncheon at the church Wednesday at 1 p. m.

The annual Candlelight communion service will be observed Thursday evening at 7:45 p. m.

Annual Y. P. C. U. Sabbath breakfast next Sabbath morning at 7 o'clock. Frank L. Burton will be the speaker.

Church of God
Women's Home and Foreign Missionary society of the First Church of God will meet at the home of Mrs. Thomas Bromley, 1817 East Washington street, Wednesday, March 28, at 10 a. m. Luncheon will be served at noon.

Bethany Lutheran Church
Tuesday through Friday—7:30 p. m., holy week devotions, with sermons based on the collects for the day.

Thursday—10 a. m., holy communion.

Good Friday—12-3 p. m., three hour devotions.

St. Paul's Lutheran
Thursday, 7:45 p. m., holy Thursday communion service.

Emmanuel Evangelical
Thursday evening at 7:30. Rev. H. H. Grove will preach on the subject, "The Hands of Jesus".

Good Friday service, 7:30 p. m., sermon subject, "The Seven Words from the Cross".

Sarah Book Class
Sarah Book Bible class will meet at the home of Mrs. Elder Bryan, 914 Morton street, on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Scotland W.C.T.U.
Scotland W.C.T.U. will meet this evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Helen Wilkins of Oakwood avenue.

Italian Methodist Y. P.
Youth Fellowship of the Italian Methodist church met in the social rooms of the church Saturday evening for its Easter meeting. Miss Mary Melia was assisted by Miss Mary Caravaggio. After a Bible quiz, refreshments were served by the Misses Mary and Lena Melia.

For the election meeting on April 21 Mrs. Salmonetti will entertain the group.

Italian Methodist
This evening, 7:30, cottage prayer meeting at the home of Mrs. Philomena Fubbe, 1108 Scotch street.

Tuesday, 7:30 p. m., cottage prayer meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pearl, R. D. 7.

Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., cottage prayer meeting at the home of Mrs. Rose Gadda, Hillsville.

Thursday, 7:30, union communion service at the First Methodist church.

Friday, noon to 3:00 p. m., unite

with other churches of the South Side in Good Friday service at Maitland Memorial P. M. church, Friday, 4:15 p. m., children's fellowship group. Friday, 7:30 p. m., cottage prayer meeting at the home of Mrs. Fred Savelli, 236 Shadyside.

In the cottage prayer meetings at the homes, Rev. F. P. Salmonetti will be assisted by Charles D'Angelo, of Jamestown, N. Y.

Valley Way United Brethren
Miss Celia Lewis, a missionary to Africa, will speak at the church Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

First Presbyterian
The annual Good Friday three-hour devotional service for congregations of central city churches will be held at the First Presbyterian church from noon until 3 p. m. on Good Friday. Meditations on the Seven Last Words From the Cross will be presented. Come and worship for any part or all of this service.

Holy communion will be celebrated on Good Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

Service in preparation for communion will be held on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. The session will meet at this service to receive members into the church.

Regular meeting this week of the Twentieth Century Bible class has been indefinitely postponed.

First Methodist
Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist church will hold its regular monthly meeting on Wednesday at the church at 2 p. m. Members of Bethel A. M. E. and St. Luke's A. M. E. Zion churches will be special guests and will have charge of devotionals.

Miss Margaret Wallace will present for the program a talk entitled "Let's Visit Our Neighbors" illustrated by character dolls.

Tea will be served at the close of the program.

Trinity Episcopal
Confirmation class will meet in the Guild room, Monday evening at 7:30.

Girl Scout Troop 7 will hold its weekly meeting at 7 o'clock on Tuesday—Mrs. Leroy Shoff, leader.

The sacrament of holy communion will be celebrated at 10:00 on Thursday morning in the chapel. Regular monthly meeting of the Altar guild will follow this service.

Maundy Thursday, 8 p. m. service, will be conducted by the Rt. Rev. John C. Ward, D. D., retired bishop of the Diocese of Erie. Since his retirement Bishop Ward has spent a year in service in Alaska.

Good Friday—The Rev. Dr. Galus Jackson Slosser, professor of Church History and History of Doctrine in the Western Theological Seminary of Pittsburgh, chaplain of the 212th Engineers during the last war, a fellow in the Royal Historical society, a well known writer, teacher and speaker will be the speaker during the three hour devotions from noon to three o'clock.

Easter Even Baptism—the sacrament of holy baptism will be administered at four o'clock on Saturday of holy week.

Estimate 85 Tons Paper Collection

YWCA Women Provide Plenty Of Adult Help And Collection Moved Fast

Four boxcar loads of newspapers and one boxcar load of magazines were collected Saturday, March 24, when the monthly waste paper collection of paper was held in New Castle and the adjoining townships. It is estimated about 85 tons were collected.

The collection Saturday was sponsored by the women of the Young Women's Christian association, with the net proceeds to go to the camp fund. The women did a fine job in providing volunteers for the loading, and there was no manpower shortage all afternoon. Sufficient trucks were provided through the Lawrence county chapter, Pennsylvania Motor Truck association and collection was handled promptly and efficiently.

The Boy Scouts manned the trucks and did their usual fine piece of work. The canteen of the American Red Cross provided sandwiches and milk for the boys and coffee for the men.

About half a carload of the total came from the townships, and this paper was collected by trucks of the State Highway Department.

Fred Clemens Gets New PCA Position

Fred R. Clemens, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clemens of Garfield avenue, is being transferred on April 1, from the post of district traffic manager for PCA in Pittsburgh which he has held for four years to the same post in Chicago, according to his parents.

A native of New Castle, Mr. Clemens has been with PCA since 1931, and served as district traffic manager in other cities before going to Pittsburgh. He is well-known in aviation activities around here.

PHILADELPHIA—A leggy, four-foot tall baby camel is known to zoo attendants as "Hey You".

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awarded air medals for their achievements during combat operations over enemy territory. A veteran of many daylight bombing attacks against Nazi targets, Lt. Winslow has flown in huge formations that pounded vital synthetic oil refineries in the Hamburg area, and has taken part in attacks on tactical targets.

READING—Coal operators were accused by Robert S. Chubb, Reading engineer, of trying to block passage in the Senate of the House-

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Announced on the program as the "formidable Orchestre Swing de l'Armee Americaine" the "Searchlight Serenaders" with drummer Cpl. Gene Audie and pianist Cpl. Dom Ippolito of New Castle took part in the Unique Soiree at the Salle Rameau, one of the biggest music schools in France, on the evening of December 18, 1944, according to a program which Cpl. Audie sent home to his family.

"In fact, we played not only once, but several times, and every time we played there, the place was so packed they could have to stop selling tickets and close the doors," Cpl. Audie writes in a letter home.

The book which he sent home, and which contains pictures of many of the serenaders, cost the equivalent of five dollars in American money, and the corporal autographed so many that he is sure he covered the whole amount that was printed.

Appearing on the same program were Mrs. Lily Muller-Rova, 30, and the symphony orchestra of the Lyon Opera, under the direction of M. Max Neumann. After the symphony and Mrs. Muller-Rova had handled such grand numbers as the introduction to the first act of Carmen, a Hadyn symphony, and arias from "La Traviata" and "La Fille du Regiment," the Americans came out with "A String of Pearls," "Alexander's Ragtime Band" and "One O'clock Jump."

Cpl. Audie, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Audie of 808 South Mill street, is the local GI whom the French refer to as "an unchained demon at the drums". Cpl. Ippolito is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Ippolito, 201 North Mercer street.

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THE WORLD AND THE MUD PUDDLES

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mately seven million persons in the United States are employed by federal, state and local governments. Federal employees may be reduced in number, but it is not likely that the reduction will be appreciable for many years after the war.

It also must be noted that even after victory, with the huge tasks of occupation and policing and the general issue of our own security, the armed forces of the nation will require anywhere from three million to six million men.

Another group of unemployables, the inmates of institutions, represents a total of nearly two million.

Only an estimate can be made of those who are not physically qualified for employment or who are averse to working, in normal times this estimate has been somewhere around four million persons.

Allowing only four million for the armed forces, it thus will be seen that the total number of potential jobholders in the country, including females, is somewhere in the neighborhood of fifty-four million.

No sane economy would contemplate the peacetime employment of all our women and girls. Such a situation would mean the end of the American home, moral, social and physical degeneration, with incalculable increases in juvenile delinquency. It certainly cannot contemplate child labor nor the end of elementary and advanced education. Yet "60,000,000 jobs" inevitably carries these implications.

Even "full employment" (another catch phrase of the theorists) cannot possibly place sixty million persons in jobs without wrecking the domestic life of the nation and utilizing the labor of the juvenile and aged "Sixty Million jobs" like many other generalizations of the pseudo-economists, is mostly a slogan and a myth.

ERIE WOMEN MAKE PATTY PRINTS FOR OVERSEAS FATHERS

ERIE, March 26.—(INS)—Many of Erie servicemen's wives are going to set a "patty print" this Easter from Erie's American women's volunteer service.

The AVWS has set up equipment to make "patty prints" of the hands of baby sons and daughters of men serving on combat fronts many of whom have never seen their offspring. The "patty prints" are placed on special Easter cards with room for messages from wives and mothers of the faraway fighter fathers.

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ADRIAN FISHER

At Town Hall, New York City, Adrian Fisher, pianist, will make her debut on the concert stage at her first New York recital to be given Wednesday evening, April 4, at 8:30 o'clock.

Miss Fisher, who is known to her many friends here as Dorothy Fisher, will be known professionally on the concert stage as Adrian Fisher. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abe Fisher of 216 East Moody avenue.

Miss Fisher's concert will be under the management of Columbia Concerts, Inc.

She will open her program with Haydn's Andante and Variations in F minor.

She will also play Nocturne in F-sharp minor, Op. 21 by Schumann and Sonata No. 6, Op. 82 by Prokofiev, followed by a group to include Sonatina by Bowles, Ravel's Oiseaux tristes, Debussy's Masques and Poissons d'or, Toccata by Poulenc, and to conclude, Etude in A minor, No. 6, by Paganini-Liszt.

Mary E. White, WAC, Enters Training

Miss Mary Elizabeth White, daughter of Ed White, 703 Highland avenue, this city, has arrived at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., where she will receive basic training as a member of the Woman's Army Corps.

On completion of her training, she will go to O'Reilly general hospital, Springfield, Mo., as a medical technician.

WAC White is a graduate of Penn Hall, Chambersburg and the University of Nebraska. She has been located in the latter state and California for a number of years, until accepting a position as assistant dietitian at Greenville hospital, Greenville, Pa., two years ago, where she remained until her enlistment in the WAC.

There is at the present time an estimated \$90,000,000 worth of fire insurance in force in the United States.

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Yes I mean you too!!! So, my good gardeners, lend me your ears while I plug them with this wax of good advice. Then will I lash myself securely to the mast of the good ship—experience. It is a good plan to buy seeds in cooperation with other gardeners, this will make it possible to try out other varieties without wasting too much seed.

We've come to the conclusion that the average catalogue, besides making lavish claims, offers the customer too many varieties of each of the vegetables to choose from, thereby confusing him and making him feel that, no matter what he selects, he is probably missing something better. It has been suggested that what he needs is a catalogue something like this: which gives him no choice whatever:

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"Not Too Bad Cucumber": Cucumbers give us indigestion, but you may be different. The kind we offer may grow eight inches long, if given good soil and good weather. If you're after anything bigger, look under watermelons.

"Fairly Delicious Pole Bean": Pole beans are the kind that grow on poles. If you can't figure that out, you have no business trying to grow a garden. These are ours. Take 'em or leave 'em.

"Medium Good Carrots": A diet of carrots helps you to see in the dark. What you've got to see is your business. These taste just like all other carrots, if you're still in the dark.

"Maybe-Grow Cabbage": The ordinary common or garden cabbage smells up the whole house when you cook it, unless you have an unusually good ventilation system. Try this and you'll be convinced.

"Spinach": Whether you call it Early Supreme Gem, Incomparable Giant Utopia, or Best-of-all Luscious Unbeatable, it's still spinach. Eat it and quit crabbing. Don't you know there is a war on?

Coal-Wage Parley In Critical Week

WASHINGTON, March 26.—(INS)—The coal-wage parley today entered its most critical week with Secretary of Labor Perkins expected to try to obtain an extension of the current contract beyond its next Saturday midnight expiration time.

On Wednesday the nation's 400,000 soft coal miners are scheduled to vote in a National Labor Relations Board election on the question of whether they want to authorize a general coal strike in wartime. An overwhelming majority is expected to favor a strike.

As the joint wage negotiations resumed after a week end recess, it was indicated that Miss Perkins will attempt to have the existing agreement extended or, failing that, certify the case to the War Labor Board which will order an extension of the contract.

Howard Colvin, acting director of the Department of Labor's conciliation service, discussed the issue of retroactive wage payment in his first meeting with UMW President John L. Lewis. This factor is a major point in any extension of the prevailing agreement.

JUNIOR RED CROSS IS LARGEST YOUTH GROUP IN AMERICA

PITTSBURGH, March 26.—(INS)—The largest youth organization in the United States is the Junior Red Cross, according to E. C. Noyes, Junior Red Cross chairman of the Pittsburgh organization.

Its membership stands at more than 18 million, or about 70 per cent of the total school population, Noyes explained.

Included among the junior society's activities during the last year in the Steel City was the signing of 30,000 blood donors. More than 250,000 pounds of materials were salvaged in the nation by juvenile members, he pointed out.

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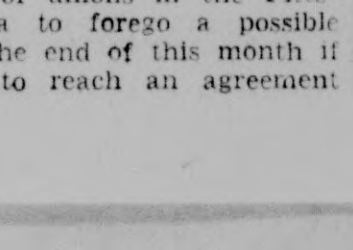
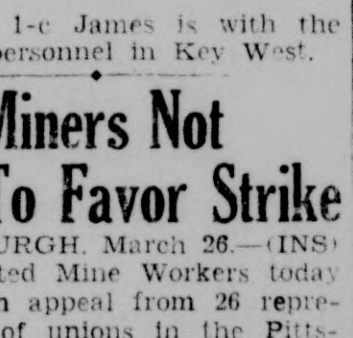
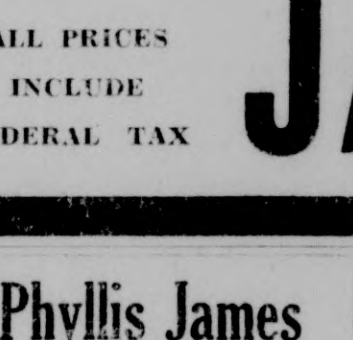
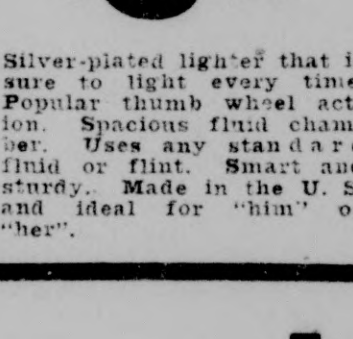
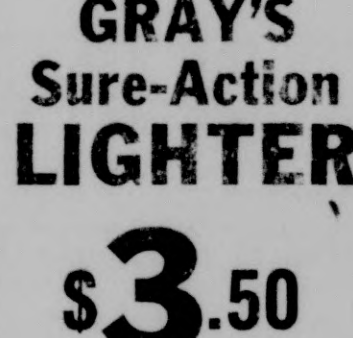
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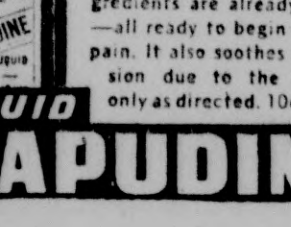
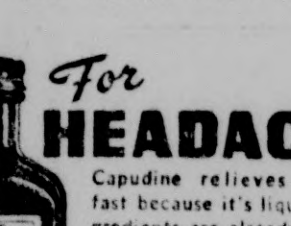
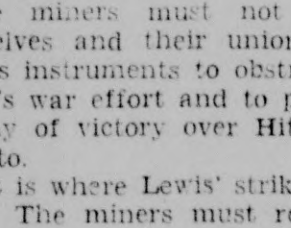
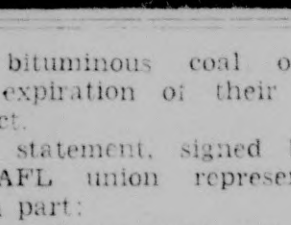
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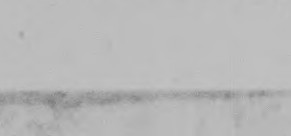
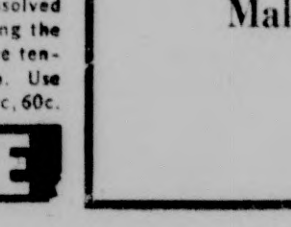
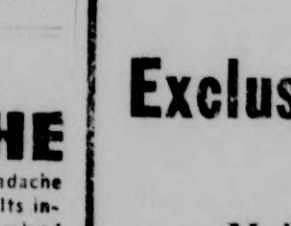
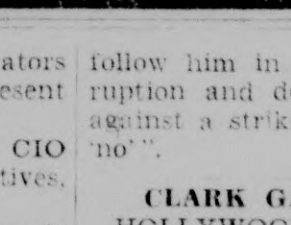
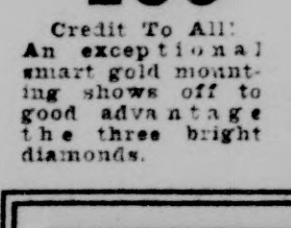
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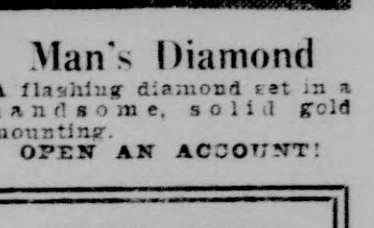
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Wave Phyllis James
Visits In Havana

Mrs. Valleria James and family of Hillcrest avenue have received a box of souvenirs sent by her daughter, Petty Officer Phyllis D. James, USNR. She, with a group of other WAVES from the U. S. naval air station, Key West, Fla., spent an enjoyable week-end in Havana, Cuba.

Yeoman 1-c James is with the office of personnel in Key West.

Urge Miners Not To Favor Strike

PITTSBURGH, March 26.—(INS)—The United Mine Workers today received an appeal from 26 representatives of unions in the Pittsburgh area to forego a possible strike at the end of this month if they fail to reach an agreement

with bituminous coal operators upon expiration of their present contract.

The statement, signed by CIO and AFL union representatives, said in part:

"The miners must not permit themselves and their union to be used as instruments to obstruct our nation's war effort and to postpone the day of victory over Hitler and Hirohito.

That is where Lewis' strike policy leads. The miners must refuse to

follow him in such an act of disruption and defeatism. . . . vote against a strike on March 28. Vote 'no'."

CLARK GABLE INJURED
HOLLYWOOD, March 26.—(INS)—Film Star Clark Gable was to return home today after spending the week end in the hospital for treatment of injuries received in a traffic accident.

The actor suffered a cut on his right leg that required several stitches and a bruised chest when he jumped his car over a curb to avoid a head-on collision with an automobile that came around a curve on the wrong side of the road on Sunset Boulevard in Brentwood.

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Capudine relieves headache fast because it's liquid. Its ingredients are already dissolved—all ready to begin easing the pain. It also soothes nerve tension due to the pain. Use only as directed. 10c, 30c, 60c.

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No. 1 Fine Kroehler Suite

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No. 2 Velour 2-Piece Suite

If the velvety softness of costly-looking velour, catches your fancy, add this ideal living room suite to your home. Haney's has this great, over-size suite—every inch built for comfort and long life. Fully spring constructed, deeply padded, buoyant. Convenient terms if you wish.

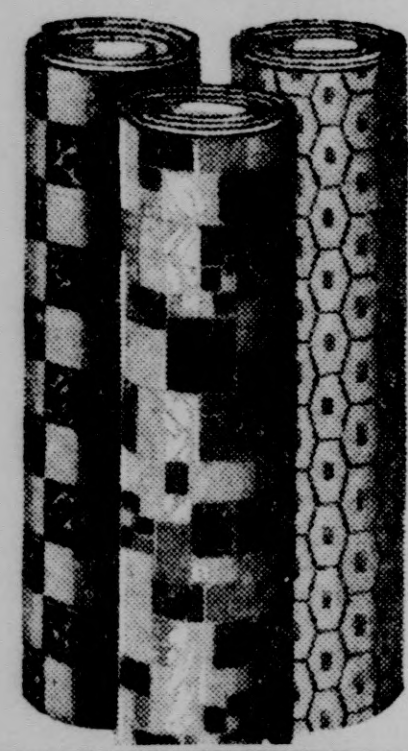
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No. 3 FRIEZE Two Piecer

If luxurious, deep-pile Frieze is your choice, you'll want this beauty for your living room. Two massive and comfortable pieces built for durability on strong hardwood frames with firm buoyant springs. Another great Haney Value!

\$169

OPEN TONIGHT!



New Kitchen Beauty

ARMSTRONG INLAID
Marbelles in a large variety of colors, square yard **98c**

CONGOLEUM RUGS
Florals, blocks, and marbelles. Choice of colors, 9x12 size, **\$5.95**

FELT BASE LINOLEUM
All the famous makes of first grade, quality felt base, Sq. yd. **49c**

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Five gay pieces in sturdy, well-built oak. 48" extension table. With artistically designed yoke panel chairs. Finished in brown or white oak.

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Material for SWAG DRAPERIES

New drapes for your windows from our grand selection of materials. Beautiful heavy two-tone damask; soft draping solid color material; gay prints; or interesting texture homespun weaves. Measure length and width of your windows.

89c to \$2.98 Per Yard

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Tailored LACE CURTAINS

\$3.98

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For a fresh outlook at your windows—new tailored lace curtains in sheer or heavy weaves. Included are 2 1/2 yard and 2 1/2 yard lengths.

Lawrence County Farm And Home News

By Extension Representatives, LEWIS C. DAYTON, Agriculture; MISS LAURA PHILLIPPI, Home Economics

RABBIT DAMAGE IS SEVERE IN ORCHARDS

The severe winter conditions and heavy snow have resulted in extensive and serious damage to fruit trees of all species by rabbits and mice. Immediate inspection of all orchards is suggested in order to take whatever remedial steps are needed.

This damage varies from cases of partial girdling to complete girdling—removal of the bark—for several feet on the trunks. Others had serious damage to the main scaffold branches as well. In some instances, the damage can be repaired by proper action, but for some it will be advisable to replace with new trees this spring.

On trees of less than 4-inch diameter, it is advisable to replace injured trees. On trees over 3-inches in diameter, bridge-grafting may be used with fair success. But unless the bridge-grafting operation is satisfactorily performed, part of the trunk may not heal over rapidly and may result in a cavity from decay.

Grafting is most satisfactory if done about 2 weeks before the buds break in early spring. Small trees that have been damaged can be cut at this time, with the trunk severed directly above the uninjured area. If the tree is 1 or 2 years old, a trunk cut thus will force buds below the injured spots. If the tree is around a 3-inch diameter, the trunk may be removed above the uninjured portion and cleft grafted to the desired variety. If the trunks are larger than 3 inches in diameter, bridge-grafting will be necessary to heal over the injured area.

WINDBREAKS PLANNED AS RESULT OF DRIFTS

As a result of their experience recently with high winds and deep snow drifts about farm buildings, Lawrence county farmers may wish to plant trees this spring for windbreaks.

Spring is the time to do this planting, and this is a good time to determine the number of trees needed and to place an order for them. Transplant trees are suggested, as they will grow faster. Evergreens—four rows of them—should be used, the trees spaced 6-feet apart in six-foot rows, and staggered. The two inner rows should be varieties of pine—white, red or Scotch. For the third and fourth rows—one on either side of the pines, the short-needed evergreens are suggested. These

can be spruce, arbor vitae, or hemlock.

The pines will give height while the short-needed evergreens with their low-hanging branches serve to seal the gaps from the ground up. To prevent snow from drifting about the buildings, the windbreaks should be planted 100 feet away.

EARLY PASTURE GROWTH AIDS IN HAY SHORTAGE

Farmers faced with a shortage of hay can speed early growth of bluegrass pasture for grazing purposes by applying fertilizer to a portion of their permanent pastures.

Early spring applications of either 500 pounds of 7-7-7 or about 400 pounds of 10-10-10 fertilizer per acre will not only prompt a much earlier growth of succulent pasture, but will also provide some permanent improvement to the treated areas.

Only that portion of the pasture to be used for extremely early grazing should be treated, allowing one acre to each four cows.

EARLY SPRING BEST TO PLANT STRAWBERRIES

Strawberry plants should be set as early in spring as the soil can be conditioned. It is not necessary to wait until danger of frost is past, since plants may be set in late March and early April.

Commercial shipments of plants, if not immediately set out should be stored at 32 degrees Fahrenheit, or by "heeling-in." This is simply placing the plants in a single row in a trench, firming soil over the roots and watering liberally. A shaley, well-drained spot is best for "heeling-in."

Owing to the shortage of commercial plants, many more growers will use their own plants this year. Only patches which were set last year are suitable for digging plants. In digging plants start at

one end of the row and take up all the plants, discarding those with small, root systems and old plants which have mostly dark-colored roots. These are worthless for replanting.

Three main points to be remembered in setting out strawberry plants are: First, the crown should be just above the surface of the ground, without exposing any upper portions of the roots. The soil should be firmly packed around the roots. And finally, while roots may be spread slightly, most of them should point downward as they are planted.

BUSY WOMEN CAN SAVE TIME IN WASHING WINDOWS

Clean windows add to the convenience and comfort of the home and help save on lighting bills. Since homemakers don't have the

time they had in pre-war days for polishing windows, here is a simple method for washing windows.

Use warm water containing a little household ammonia, alcohol or vinegar. Alcohol and ammonia help cut greasy dirt; vinegar loosens dirt and smoke. These also help keep water from freezing on the window during cold weather. Use a chamois or lintless cloth, wring from the solution and wipe the glass. Repeat if necessary, then use a dry cloth or chamois for drying. Bright clear days help speed the job of window washing making it easier to see when the glass is clear.

RURAL FAMILIES URGED TO AID IN FAT SALVAGE

Homemakers in Lawrence county already have done a good job of salvaging used fat, but more is urgently needed during 1945.

The supply of fat is inadequate to meet present demands, and farm and small town families are called upon to help increase the quantity of household fats collected for salvage.

Fats are used in the manufacture of medicines and vaccines as well as for munitions. One tablespoon of used fat will make enough vaccine for 78 fighting men or enough synthetic rubber for two gas masks.



For cough and throat irritations resulting from colds or smoking, millions use



COUGH LOZENGES
Really soothing because they're really medicated. Each F & F Cough Lozenge gives your throat a 15 minute soothing treatment that reaches all the way down... below the gargle line. Only 10¢ box.

Where there is no local collection agency, the Railway Express Agency will accept household salvaged fat in 50-pound containers for shipment, express collect, to renderers. The renderers will furnish such containers free of charge.

COSMO CLUB STAG PROGRAM TUESDAY

Williams, the magician, will be the main feature of the Cosmo club spring program to be held Tuesday

evening, March 27, at 8:30 o'clock in the Cosmo club rooms, North Mercer street.

The meeting-program is for members, and refreshments will be served.

The American reader in 1944 placed works dealing with his personal problems first on his reading list, and those dealing with the war and the state of the world second.

CLAIM JAP RAIDS

NEW YORK, March 26.—(INS)—The Domei agency broadcast the claim today that Japanese air units had raided American positions on Iwo Jima yesterday afternoon.

The broadcast, heard by the FCC, said that "all bomb loads were dropped on enemy positions causing fires and explosions at many points."

The island of Madagascar is nearly as large as the State of Texas.

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HOUSEHOLD FINANCE Corporation

Administration Disturbed Over Congress Delay

Failure To Speedily Approve Bretton Woods Monetary Agreements Brings Complications

By RAYMOND WILCOVE
(U.S. Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, March 26.—A disquieting situation today faced the administration at the forthcoming world security conference at San Francisco because of delay in obtaining congressional ratification of the Bretton Woods monetary agreements.

An announcement that the House Banking and Currency committee had postponed until after the Easter recess further consideration of pending legislation for American ratification of the 44-nation pact brought perturbation in administration circles.

It carried in its wake the probability that the House will be debating the postwar proposals for a world bank and international stabilization fund while the San Francisco conference is underway.

'Make Suckers Of Uncle Sam'
Administration leaders privately admitted that the debate over the Bretton Woods proposal would be punctuated with attacks on foreign nations—such as those which have featured committee hearings—especially against Great Britain, Russia and France.

Charges that foreign nations are "making suckers of Uncle Sam," that the United States is being taken for a ride, that an "international WPA" is being established with American money for the benefit of other nations will almost certainly echo on the floor of the House as they have before the Banking committee.

The decision to postpone the hearings—which began March 7—came as a surprise to House Majority Leader John W. McCormack. He declined to comment.

The Easter recess begins Wednesday and continues until April 12, while the San Francisco conference will convene April 25.

W. C. T. U. AND L. T. L.

County Executive Board

In the absence of the president, Mrs. Joseph Pringle, Mrs. Claire Boyer presided at the W. C. T. U. executive board meeting at the Y. W. C. A. on Thursday.

Spiritual Life director Mrs. Joseph Phillips conducted the devotional period.

The board voted to comply with a request from the state W. C. T. U. to raise a fund for educational and other purposes, locals unions to plan their individual campaigns.

Local unions were urged to observe national Y. T. C. week, April 25-27, with some special observance for their own Y. T. C. groups.

Bills now before the General Assembly that would affect observance of the Sabbath in Pennsylvania were brought before the attention of the group; e. g. House Bill No. 533 which would legalize the opening of bowling alleys on Sunday. This bill is now in the Law and Order committee, Hon. George W. Hunsley, chairman.

Concerning House Bill No. 262 designed to legalize the playing of bingo by churches and with no provision to prohibit playing on Sunday, write to Hon. Howard F. Boorse, Municipal Corporation chairman; Senate Bill No. 207 is a measure which would repeal the law prohibiting the sale of alcoholic liquors on Sunday, now in the Law and Order committee of the senate.

Senator A. H. Letzler is chairman; House Bill No. 549 would prohibit the sale of liquor in any place on Sunday, is now in the committee on Liquor Control, Hon. Thomas Lyons, chairman.

Mrs. Floyd Worrell, in a report on the Soldiers and Sailors department work, said she has had a request from Deshon hospital for items which will be of use in occupational therapy: odd pieces of yarn, woolen or cotton, embroidery floss, unfinished fancy work, belt buckles, string, tapestry needles, broken jewelry, leather scraps, and sponge rubber balls. These items are to be sent to "Miss Ruth Little, Deshon hospital."

A letter of appreciation will be sent to War Mobilization Director Byrnes in regard to the midnight closing of saloons, night clubs, roadhouses, theaters, dance halls, sports arenas and other places of entertainment.

Mrs. J. O. Cameron closed the meeting with prayer.

ROSE POINT

CLASS MEETING

Rainbow Bible class of Oak Grove church was entertained Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Lawrence Free, of New Castle. Quilting was the main diversion of the day. At noon a delicious tureen luncheon was served by the hostess, Mrs. Gerald Harlan conducted devotionals. The April meeting will be at the home of the assistant teacher, Mrs. Frank Fisher, with Mr. Howard Conrad as leader.

ROSE POINT NOTES

Mrs. Elizabeth Cowan attended a church conference on Sunday at Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Margaret Cooper, of Portersville, visited recently with her aunt, Mrs. Mary McClymonds.

Mrs. W. J. Irwin, of Mercer, was a recent guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Michaels.

Mrs. Chester White and son, Ronald, of New Castle, are visiting a few days with Mrs. Nelson Stoner.

Mrs. Edith Dean and family, of Mr. Herman, spent Thursday with her mother, Mrs. Charles McFarland.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pryor spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kennedy, of Portersville.

Mrs. Martha Stoner and daughter, Mary, have returned to their home after spending some time with friends in New Castle.

Mrs. Alda Fisher, Mrs. Melville Martin, and Mrs. E. T. Armstrong attended the P. T. A. meeting at Princeton Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Pryor visited recently with Mr. Harry Pryor, of Grove City, who is a patient at the Bashline-Rossman hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Willtraut and daughter, Dorothy, of Ellport, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Weller McClymonds.

Mrs. Grace Houk and children, Jean, Mary Ruth and Russell, of near Princeton, were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Pryor.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Armstrong, sons, Norman and Lawrence, Ted Brown and Pfc. and Mrs. James Hogue and daughters were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Armstrong.

Pfc. Edsel H. Updegraph, of the Military Police, Ft. DuPont, Wilmington, Del., and wife, Mrs. Edsel H. Updegraph, of New Castle, were Sunday guests at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Updegraph.

Mrs. William Waring, Mrs. Bernard Waring and children, Audrey, Michael, Teddy and John, of Ellwood City and Mrs. George Waring and sons, Russell and Billy, of Mt. Jackson, were Tuesday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Waring.

Matters of utmost importance will be discussed.

Edison is absolutely right. I'm going to wait. There must be similar jobs involving big wages and little work, elsewhere in this nation.

BUNDLES' SPECIAL MEETING WEDNESDAY

A special meeting is called for Bundles from New Castle, Pa., on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in Bundles' headquarters on East street.

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Student Body To Share In Franklin Easter Assembly

All the students of Franklin Junior High School will make up the choir at the school's annual Easter program in the school auditorium on Wednesday morning.

Solo numbers will be: "Open the Gates of the Temple," sung by James Bowman, Franklin teacher; "The Holy City" by Peggy Ezze; and "The Stranger of Galilee" by Jean Fogarty. A special group will sing "Open Our Eyes," while the songs by the whole student body will include "Fairer Lord Jesus," "Christ Arose," and "Christ the Lord Is Risen Today."

Cam Cotesse will add an Easter reading to the program. Other faculty members directing or assisting with the program are Miss Esther Gibbons, Miss Ruth Garrett, Miss Theodora Pollock, and John Tucker.

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New Class Of Nurses Capped

Largest Class In History Of Jameson Memorial Hospital Presented With Their Insignia

LARGE CROWD AT EXERCISES SUNDAY

Capping exercises for the largest class of nurses ever to take their training at the Jameson Memorial hospital, took place with a program appropriate to the occasion, Sunday afternoon in the Nurses Home. There are 46 young women in the class. A large crowd of friends and relatives of the class members was on hand for the occasion, and after the ceremonies, Open House was conducted and the visitors were shown through the nursing arts laboratory, science laboratory, and school library.

Presents Caps
Miss Prudence Appleman, director of nurses, presented the young novices with their caps, and at the conclusion of this rite a candle lighting ceremony took place, when each girl had her candle lighted by Miss Pauline Buechell, instructor of nursing arts; and Miss Julia Martin, instructor of nursing science. The class then recited in unison, the Nurses' Prayer.

The professional and recreational were played by Miss Kathryn Newberry, of the class of 1945. Greetings were brought by Lt. Nanette Lyons, A. N. C., of the U. S. Army, stationed in Pittsburgh, and preceding the capping, the Nightingale pledge was given by the nurses. Vocal numbers during the program were rendered by Miss Marie Olson, who sang "Angels of Mercy" and "Roses of No Man's Land", accompanied by Miss Nettie Mann.

The class will be known as the September class, 1947.

A reception followed immediately after the program, when refreshment were served.

Members of Class
The members of the class are as follows: Geraldine Alliger, June Bell, Frances Bovard, Mary Brown, Marcie Critchlow, Sallie Cron, Rosalie Davis, Nadine Daytner, Mary De-meter, Nellie Doult, Virginia Eakin,

Helen Flick, Edna Frazier, Helen Frazier, Dorothy Fritz, Lois Gallaher, Loretta Garber, Geraldine Hare, Shirley Herman, Mary Jurick, Lois Kennedy, Gladys Kildoo, Philomena Marino, Marjorie Marr, Delores McConahy, Geraldine McCullough, Laverne Merriman, Rebecca Mills, Mary Morris, Joanne Norman, Jean Paton, Louise Pink, Winona Price, Mary Reich, Jeanne Roberts, Kathryn Roberts, Harriett Salzman, Janet Simpson, Evelyn Spencer, Gertrude Swoger, Merna Thompson, Dorina Travers, Ruth Van Buren, Jean Van Horn, Natalie Vogan and Luella Walters.

Japanese Prime Minister Reminds Nation Of Crisis

LONDON, March 26.—(INS)—Gen. Kuniaki Koiso, Japanese prime minister, today spoke of Japan's "national crisis" a few hours after Tokyo radio had reported that American troops had attempted a landing on Okinawa Island, less than 350 miles from the Japanese mainland.

Tokyo radio said the landing attempt was made at 7:30 a. m. Pacific time today (12:30 a. m. British summer time) by about 100 barges operating from a large task force.

Okinawa is roughly midway along the chain of islands between Formosa and the southern Japanese island of Kyushu. So far Allied sources have not confirmed the landing.

"Men of all faiths have lived together and have died saving each other's lives," the general said at the centenary service of Temple Emanu-el, Fifth avenue. "Their understanding and tolerance will mean much for the future of this nation."

Blame Temper Of Man For Tragedy In Chicago Home

Three Are Dead And Two Others Badly Wounded In Shooting Outbreak In Home

CHICAGO, March 26.—(INS)—An ungovernable temper was blamed today for a domestic tragedy in which Richard Stakenas, 35, shot and killed one of his nephews, fatally wounded another, seriously wounded his niece and sister-in-law and committed suicide.

Stakenas, who retained the Lithuanian spelling of his name, flew into a rage when his sister-in-law, Mrs. Anna Staken, 40, asked him not to play a radio symphony program too loudly in the home where all lived.

Mrs. Staken said he got a revolver, waved it menacingly at her and her daughter, Jean, 12, then beat Jean on the head with the weapon when the girl tried to wrest it from him. When Mrs. Staken sought to stop him, he beat her also, she said.

He then began firing the revolver wildly, wounding Mrs. Staken in the jaw and shoulder with one bullet and Jean near the heart with another. As they fled in terror to the home of a neighbor, Stakenas walked into the bathroom and shot his two nephews who were bathing together.

Edward Staken, seven, was instantly killed and John, nine, died several hours later from a bullet wound near the heart.

Stakenas walked into a back bedroom and fired a bullet into his brain.

Capt. Frank's Body Arrives Home Today

Military Services Will Be Conducted For Local Soldier, Veteran Of Two Wars, On Tuesday

Capt. Meyer M. Frank's body arrived home this morning and was taken to the R. L. Boyd funeral home on North Jefferson street, where members of the family will greet friends this evening from 7 to 9 o'clock.

Capt. Frank, who saw service in World Wars I and II, died enroute home from the South Pacific front to a tropical ailment he contracted in service. He had been ill for several months, and death resulted before the ship bringing him back to the states docked at San Francisco early last week. He was a member of the U. S. Dental Corps.

Capt. Frank was a member of Tifereth Israel synagogue, Solomon lodge F. & A. M. No. 231 of Pittsburgh, the Lawrence County Dental society, Zionist Organization of America, Loyal Order of Moose, Pi Lambda Phi fraternity, Perry S. Gaston Post No. 343, American Legion and Neshannock Post No. 315, V. F. W.

Services will be held from the funeral home Tuesday at 2:30 p. m. in charge of Rabbi Julian Shapiro, in the presence of New Castle, assisted by Rabbi Hyman Krash of Tifereth Israel synagogue.

MARINE OFFICER DIES
WASHINGTON, March 26.—(INS)—The death of Maj. Gen. William H. Rupertus, former commander of the first marine division, was announced in Washington today.

Gen. Rupertus, 55, died of a heart attack last night while visiting a fellow-officer at the marine barracks in Washington, D. C.

He commanded the first marine division during operations at Cape Gloucester, New Britain, and at Peleliu in the Palau islands.

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Notre Dame Mourns Death Of Chevigny

Lieut. Jack Chevigny, Former Great Irish Halfback, Killed On Iwo Jima

SOUTH BEND, Ind., March 26.—(INS)—News of the death of Lt. Jack Chevigny in the invasion of Iwo Jima saddened the Notre Dame campus today where his name was a legend as one of the university's all-time football greats.

Lt. Chevigny, it was learned, died on the first day of the American assault on the Japanese island. He was liaison officer with the 27th Marine Division.

He reached the peak of his football fame on the team of 1928 which Coach Knute Rockne described as the greatest squad he ever coached. Rockne lauded Chevigny as one of the greatest halfbacks in Notre Dame history.

Marine Husband Improving Nicely
Pvt. Quay F. Reiser, U. S. Marine, Wounded In Iwo Jima By Jap Sniper

Mrs. May Reiser of 915 Morton street, has received a letter from her husband, Pvt. Quay F. Reiser of the Fifth Marine Division, stating that he had been wounded in Iwo Jima. He was shot through the right chest by a Jap sniper. He says he is getting along fine, and the doctor predicts that he will be alright.

Pvt. Reiser joined the service June 28, 1941, and went overseas November 23, 1944. He was formerly employed at the United Engineering Co. plant.

RHINE DEFENDERS ROUTED DECLARES U. S. HEADQUARTERS
(Continued From Page One)

division swept seven miles to the northeast to reach Langen, seven miles south of Frankfurt, while a column of the same unit pushed northeast to Walldorf. Numerous towns and villages south of the Main have been cleared of enemy troops.

Divisions Join
Today the 26th, 5th and 90th divisions joined the spearheading fourth armored division in its bridgehead across the Main river while the seventh division made a new Rhine crossing which for security reasons was not located.

Simultaneously Patton's 87th division continued to expand its bridgehead across the Rhine south of Coblenz which was made early yesterday despite terrific opposition. The third army now is across the Rhine at seven different points.

Capture Rees
Dispatches from the 21st army group headquarters of Field Marshal Sir Bernard L. Montgomery reported that Canadian, British and U. S. Ninth Army forces in his command had made fresh gains of three miles, completed the capture of Rees and had seized more than 10,000 prisoners.

Hunze, Minthus and Milligen were also captured as the bridgehead was expanded northeast and southeast under a driving rain which followed the perfect spring weather which had marked the beginning of the offensive.

Fighting was extremely heavy as the Nazis sent in their 15th panzer grenadiers against Montgomery's forces.

One small pocket of Germans is still holding out in Wesel where 400 crack German paratroopers surrendered to British commandos.

Allied forces were in control of almost one-fourth of the east bank of the German Rhine today as the British and Canadians, the U. S. Ninth and First armies, and Gen. Patton's forces expanded their exploding bridgeheads and the German reported new crossings below Coblenz.

Hold 100 Miles of East Bank
Latest estimates from combined western front dispatches indicated the Americans and British held more than 100 miles of the 430-mile east bank of the great barrier stream.

Panic-stricken civilians were reported fleeing through Frankfurt, which before the war was reported to have a population of almost 600,000, by every means of transportation and along the jammed highways on foot.

The evacuation of the city was reported under way by American airmen shortly after Gauleiter Hessen Nassau broadcast a warning that Yank armor spearheads were only 15 miles southeast of the city.

Reports from supreme allied headquarters disclosed that the Americans had seized Russelheim, just 10 miles southwest of Frankfurt and were expected at the outskirts of the city momentarily.

Many Allied Gains
Significant allied gains along the western front which a short time ago would have dominated the news of the day were almost lost in the gigantic shuffle east of the Rhine. An infantry division of Gen. Patton's forces fighting far behind his spearheads smashed across the Rhine early yesterday against tough opposition but today was expanding the new and firmly held bridgehead which was opened south of Coblenz and north of Bonn.

In the early stages of the First Army's new advances, Gen. Hodges' armor fought its way into Flammersfeld after a six-mile dash. A second column pushed five miles to Rott, one mile southwest of Flammersfeld and 14 miles east of the Rhine, while a third column, moving northwest for five miles, reached Limbach.

The British and Canadians were encountering stiff opposition after their juncture at an unidentified point with the airborne forces.

Driving eight miles into the Ruhr in the 15-mile-long bridgehead, the British Second Army pushed a column of Scottish troops across the superhighway northwest of Hamminkeln and cleared most of Rees while only a few snipers are holding out.

The German radio said today that new airborne landings were made north and south of Wesel yesterday.

HOSPITAL NOTES

JAMESON MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
Admitted—Herbert D. Greenlee, R. D. 4, Mrs. Ruth Wharton, R. D. 2, Jackson Center; Mrs. Clara Chambers, Grove City; Mrs. Rose Retford, Edensburg; William Book, R. D. 2, Slippery Rock; Toni Dingeldey, Fairfield avenue; Miss Lois Payne, Shaw street; Charles Klingensmith, Pearson street; Samuel Huffman, Ellwood City; Edward Webster, Scioto street; Fred Kneiff, R. D. 1, Volant; Miss Mary Metrollo, Hillville.

Discharged—Harry Lee Wear, Jr., B. D. 2, Wamoun; Gerald Moon, R. D. 3, Volant; Marjorie Redfoot, Harrisville; Bradford Powell, New Brighton; Donald Swadener, Cleveland avenue; Owen P. Fox, Emerson avenue; Clyde Stump, R. D. 1, Edensburg; Mrs. Margaret Huston, Delaware avenue; Mrs. Blanche Sexton, Gen. Croton avenue; Baby Girl Kennedy, Park avenue; Jimmy Lee, Highland avenue; Michael Sackin, Lutton street; James Nelson, Norwood avenue; Desiderio Disanti, Cascade street; Alfred J. Bruner, R. D. 2, Volant; Carl DeCarbo, E. Lutton street; Edward L. Pezoldt, R. D. 2, Grove City; Mrs. Bess Young, Highland avenue; Mrs. Helen Gruver and son, Pulaski.

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Admitted: Mrs. Minnie Camerot, Eleventh street, West Pittsburg; Domenick Padula, West Middlesex; Helen Dytko, R. D. 1, Wampum; Mrs. Lucy Largo 311 1/2 rear, Lutton street; Richard Veri, 516 East Lutton street; Joseph Mangiero, 230 South Wayne avenue; Bernice Lund, 707 Highland avenue; William Henry, 455 Spruce street; Mrs. Florence Cubellis, 326 Phillips street; Mrs. Elizabeth Bouzinski, 27 East Long avenue; Mrs. Evelyn Clark, 1305 Adams street; Irene Stevenson, 926 North Ashland avenue; Becky Eakin, 1118 West Washington street.

Discharged: Mrs. Sophie Janovich and infant son, 315 Bell avenue; Mrs. Louella Kloss, R. D. 5; John Zombek, 3 Maple street; Mrs. Antonette Chirozzi, 506 East Dyl, South Cedar street; Mrs. Katherine White, R. D. 7; Curtis Brown, 252 West Falls street; Mrs. Catherine Allison, R. D. 4; Mrs. Mary Ascone, 731 Pearl street; Evelyn Janetti, 824 Morton street; William Solomon, 210 Bluff street; Mrs. Gloria Perrone, Bessemer; Ignatio Manto, 304 East Home street; Mrs. Ruth Price, and infant son, 12 Grove street, R. D. 2; Mrs. Helen Olach, infant son, 1209 Cunningham avenue; Mrs. Sylvia Jacobs, 1303 Grimes street; Mrs. Aileen Wilkins and infant, 1414 Huron avenue; Mrs. Margaret Shaw and infant son, 231 South Lee avenue.

Abnormal Heat Breaks Records

Continued Warm Spell Brings Vegetation Into Bloom Over Weekend Here, Breaking Records

Never in the memory of the oldest ever-timer has spring arrived as early as this year, and Sunday's 80-degree temperature found folks sitting out in the sun in their shirt-sleeves, enjoying the welcome warmth. There may have been days as warm or warmer this early in the spring, but few can recall that the warm spell continued.

Early varieties of flowers, such as forsythia, burst into full bloom over the week-end, and early gardening has been indulged in by the early birds.

The warm wave started a week ago last Wednesday, and except for two cool days last week, when a heavy fall of snow was noted, on top of a miserable wet day, the weather in general has been most agreeable for almost two weeks, far ahead of schedule.

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FISHERS on the DIAMOND

Yanks Believe They're Headed For Berlin Now

By FRANK CONNIF
(U. S. Staff Correspondent)

WITH THE U. S. NINTH ARMY EAST OF THE RHINE, March 26—A correspondent needed a jet-propelled jeep to keep up with this runaway front today as flying columns of doughboy-carrying tanks slashed deep behind Nazi lines in wide scalloping thrusts.

It was a war of movement with a vengeance. It fairly caught up with the forward elements after hours of riding along dust-smothered roads and through sectors still dotted with German pockets of resistance.

In fact, I was stopped cold by Nazi mortars before even reaching a regimental command post which instead of occupying the usual safe position behind the lines had actually by-passed several enemy-held positions.

Rhineland Alive with Action
The entire Rhineland was alive with movement on a lovely spring day reminiscent of May in America. But I saw one engineer dozing in a pontoon boat halfway across the river.

Barrage Balloons floated high above the Rhine and fighter planes maintain a continuous patrol as tanks, troops and artillery pieces rolled ceaselessly forward despite enemy shelling.

The general attitude of doughboys pouring toward the combat zones loaded to the teeth and carrying their coat under the hot Rhineland sun was: "Hold your helmets, boys, here we go again!"

I chatted with tankers and doughboys as they awaited the signal to start. All of them oozed confidence that their ultimate destination was Berlin. That attitude seemed to permeate the entire army.

Germans Claim Defense Is Made

LONDON, March 26.—(INS)—The German high command today claimed that in the great battle of the lower Rhine Nazi troops stubbornly defended the depth of the main battlefield and at the same time continued their attacks against British and American airborne troops which were further reinforced yesterday.

In attacks on the airborne landing operation anti-aircraft guns of the Luftwaffe shot down 149 planes including 75 fully laden gliders on Saturday, a German communique claimed.

The communique admitted, however, that on the lower Lippe and at Dinslaken the Allies after bitter fighting succeeded in breaking through to the eastern fringe of the Hunze forest and that fighting was also raging with unabated violence all along the front from the lower Sieg to the Rhine loop north of Coblenz.

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7:00 Sr. G. R. s. G. R. s. Aud.
8:30 Eva Bowles, Elm St.
THURSDAY
10:30 Lenten Bible Class, Aud.
11:30 Membership Report Meeting, Green room and kitchen
2:30 Alice in Wonderland, Elm St.
6:00 to 7:00 Blue Triangle Dinner
7:00 to 8:30 Blue Triangle Lenten Program, Mrs. J. J. McElvaine, Green room and kitchen
7:30 Italian Mothers, Green room
8:00 Junior Business Girls Club room

DELICATE SUBJECT
DENVER.—(INS)—Among courses scheduled for a conference of civilian instructors of the army and forces, western technical training command was "How to reprimand an employee without making him sore enough to quit."

PEACE AIDS
BOULDER, Colo.—(INS)—A knowledge of Russian and the Oriental languages "is highly important if an enduring peace is to result in the Pacific," according to Capt. W. E. Cheadle, recently appointed commandant of the University of Colorado naval unit.

Pfc. Thomas J. Price Awarded Bronze Star
Pfc. Thomas J. Price, son of Morgan Price, 419 Bleakley avenue, has received the Bronze Star for his service in the campaign on Peleliu in the Palau group last September, according to word received by his family.

Pfc. Thomas has been overseas for fourteen months and in service for three years.

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Optimism In Paris, Result Of Rhine Drive

By KINGSBURY SMITH
(U. S. Staff Correspondent)

PARIS, March 26.—A wave of optimism swept Paris today in the wake of front-line reports describing the amazing swiftness with which Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's allied armies are punching holes in Germany's last great defensive barriers in the west.

The comparative ease with which American and British forces not only established themselves on the east bank of the Rhine—Germany's symbolic defensive moat—but quickly swept out from newly-seized bridgeheads into the interior of Adolf Hitler's inner fortress clearly suggested that the sands of Nazism have run their course.

Except at the northern end of the Rhine front, German resistance shows signs of disintegrating in almost every sector. There is a growing belief in Paris that this is the last great campaign in western Europe.

The question of how long it will take to bring about complete collapse of the German military machine in the west is considered to depend upon the ability of Nazi Field Marshal Albert Kesselring to rally his remaining forces.

While there is justification for rejoicing over the ease with which Gen. Eisenhower's armies secured footholds on the "victory side" of the Rhine, there is a tendency at supreme headquarters for caution against letting hopes run wild to the point of anticipating immediate collapse of organized German resistance in the west.

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New Wilmington High In Collection Of Cans

Richard Castor Individual High With 500 Cans Collected During Week

Pupils of the rural public schools of the county added 12,551 tin cans to the total for last week, Hugh Chapin, county chairman, stated today. New Wilmington was high with 2960 and the week's individual winner came from this school, Richard Castor, with 500 cans. Evelyn Houk of Hillsville was second high with 419.

Following is the total by schools:
School No. of cans
Shenango 1748
New Wilmington 2960
Union 1933
Mt. Jackson 1495
Sunny Avenue 1369
Bessener 1182
Chewton 1172
Clen-Moore 530
Walmo 292

Pfc. J. M. Palmeri Is Killed On Luzon

Local Soldier Meets Death Fighting Japs After Almost Three Years Service Overseas

Word has been received by Nick Palmeri of 215 East Home street, stating that his son, Pfc. Joseph M. Palmeri, aged 30, has been killed in action on Luzon February 4, while fighting against the Japs.

Pfc. Palmeri has been in the service for three years, and had never been home on leave in all that time, going overseas three months after entering the service. He was serving with the 35th Infantry.

In addition to his father, he is survived by two brothers, Dominick of New York, and Stephen of this city, and one sister, Lillian Palmeri, at home.

JAPS BURN LIBRARY

MANILA, March 26.—More than two million books—including the National Library's priceless, irreplaceable 70,000 Philippine collection of books and documents—were destroyed during the Jap burning of Manila, Oley Bever of the University of the Philippines, said today.

Try The News Want Ads For Results

NEWS ON COURT HOUSE HILL

MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATIONS

David R. Reynolds, 1249 Randolph street, New Castle; Janice R. Stark, 224 East Falls street, New Castle.
Earl T. Weston, 568 Merchant street, Ambridge; Martha McGill, 411 Garfield avenue, New Castle.
Francis W. Wicks, 2567 Front street, Cuyahoga Falls, O.; Ethel May Stewart, R. F. D. 2, Kent, O.
Everett Fish Spring, Jr., 629 East 25th Street, Erie; Shirley Jean Snyder, 218 Edgewood avenue, New Castle.
Cecil I. Oliphant, 2108 Berger street, New Castle; Betty Cooper, 295 East North street, New Castle.
Anson Dale Anderson, 119 East Garfield avenue, New Castle; Ada Mae Jacobs, R. D. 5, New Castle.
William Buchowski, R. D. 3, Volant; Mary Presnan, 401 South Lee avenue, New Castle.

REALTY TRANSFERS

Harry T. Green and wife to Ernest E. Kaufman and wife, Neshamock avenue, \$4,000.
State Capital Savings and Loan Assn. to Asa M. McMahers and wife, 7th ward, \$1.
State Capital Savings and Loan Assn. to Victor A. Sarbo, 5th ward, \$1.
Gertie M. Nord to Martha M. Tennula and others, Bessener, \$1.
Albert Smialek to Ada Marziano, Wayne township, \$1.
Solomon B. Dicks to Aubrey M. Walton, Hickory township, \$1.
Mary B. Shaddick and others to Rupert W. Harris and wife, 2nd ward, \$1.
Rupert W. Harris and wife to Harold W. McVeeny, 4th ward, \$1.
Henry C. Hempel and wife to Victor E. George, and wife, 5th ward, \$1.

RENT DISTRIBUTION

In an opinion and order handed down Saturday by Judge W. Walter Brahm the system of distributing the rentals accumulated by the county commissioners is set up in the manner asked for by the City of New Castle School Board in its action against Commissioners Joseph F. Travers, Earl R. Wimer and Karl T. Rohrer, and County Controller Andrew M. Douds.

The school board asked that each rental be considered as a separate trust fund and distributed on the basis of taxes levied against it instead of dividing the whole accumulation on the basis of the proportion of taxes levied by each of the tax levying bodies.

In the opinion Judge Brahm sets out that each rental fund must be

considered a separate trust fund that the money shall be divided upon the basis of taxes levied against it plus two years accumulation after the sale by the county treasurer.

Repairs, maintenance, insurance and the like are to come from the fund before distribution is made but do not is expressed as to the fifteen per cent taken by the county for expenses. The costs of the petition are to be paid from the fund which is now well over \$50,000.

The decree becomes permanent in ten days if no appeal is made.

SPOTLIGHT Of Today

(International News Service)

RYUKU ISLANDS

The Ryuku Islands, which the Japanese said were being invaded by U. S. amphibious forces, lie between the Nipponese homeland and Pannosa, stretching out in a long thin line over roughly 650 miles of ocean.

The northern tip of the curving archipelago is only 80 miles south of Kyushu, southernmost of the islands that comprise Japan. Fifty-five in number, the Ryukus are divided into three main groups, of which the northern is called Ooshimashoto; the central, Okinawagunto; and the southern Sakishimagunto. The terms shoto, gunto and retto signify "island group," "cluster of islands," and "string of islands," respectively.

The archipelago, also called Luchu Islands by the Japanese, has a normal population of about 455,000 and an area of 935 square miles.

There are two active volcanoes at the extreme northern tip of the Ryukus, but the only other mountain of any size is Yusan-Dake, rising 2,900 feet, in Amami-Oshima, Capital of the whole chain is Shuri in the Okinawa cluster—the most important of all. The more modern town of Naha, on the same island, possesses the principal harbor and naval base.

Although close to the tropics, the Ryukus do not have tropical features. The temperature at Naha ranges from 82 in July to 60 in January. The territory of the islands are infested with venomous snakes called habu, whose bite generally causes speedy death.

Jackson Hole is the name applied to the mountain-locked floor of the upper Snake River valley east and southeast of the Teton Range, a few miles south from Yellowstone National Park.

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Medical Company In Action Less Than Hour After Invasion

By JOHN E. LEE
(U. S. Staff Correspondent)

WITH THE 17TH AIRBORNE DIVISION EAST OF THE RHINE, March 26—Nearly 500 wounded parachute and glider troops have been treated today by surgeons of the 224th medical company, which pitched its first tent 55 minutes after landing by glider on a fire-swept field east of the Rhine.

At least one surgeon was killed when the gliders cut loose from their tow-planes yesterday to land on the small field swept by machine-gun, mortar and small-arms fire. A second surgeon is missing.

Medical equipment and food intended for the patients were destroyed when the gliders were set ablaze by enemy fire on the ground or blasted from the sky by flak. Most of the blood plasma supplies were saved.

Four medical tents were in operation this morning despite continual enemy fire across the landing field and a sharp battle in a woods 300 yards away. The wounded included British sixth airborne troops who landed in the sector.

Seventh Ward ARMED FORCES WILL GET BIG EASTER MAIL

Eddie McBride, superintendent of the Mahoningtown post office, reports that the mail during this Easter season has been quite heavy all last week, and still is. There has been much air mail, many of them doubtless Easter greeting cards; many parcels have been mailed to those in the armed forces overseas and still in camps in this country.

MAHONING METHODIST

Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock, Mrs. John Dripps, unit of the Women's Society of Christian Service will meet, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock the servicemen's committee will meet in the church and pack boxes for those of the church in the armed forces. Wednesday evening at 7:45, Union Holy Week service in the Mahoningtown Presbyterian church, with Rev. Bugbee speaking Thursday evening, at 7:30, the Methodist churches union communion service in the First Methodist church, Good Friday, at 2 in the afternoon, Union service in this church; Rev. R. L. McKibben and Rev. Bugbee in charge.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Wednesday morning, commencing at 9 o'clock, members of the Ladies Aid society will meet in the church for an all-day quilting. Wednesday evening, union worship service in the Mahoningtown Presbyterian church. On Sunday morning, the annual Easter sunrise meeting will be at 7 o'clock, with program in charge of the Loyal Workers class; breakfast will be served at 7 by the Bereans Bible class.

MAHONINGTOWN PRESBYTERIAN

Tuesday at 6:30 p. m., members of the K. J. U. Bible class will meet in the church, and partake of a tureen dinner. The executive committee will be in charge. Wednesday evening at 7:45, in this church, there will be an union Holy Week service of the ward church; Rev. Warren A. Bugbee will be the preacher. Good Friday afternoon, union devotional service at the Mahoning Methodist church.

GIRL SCOUTS TUESDAY

In the Mahoning Methodist church, the Girl Scouts Troop 16 will gather at 4 o'clock in the afternoon; the subject for discussion will be "Easter Observances in Other Countries"; Miss Alma Wolverton, leader.

PANTHER PATROL TONIGHT

This evening at 7 o'clock, members of the Panther Patrol Boy Scouts will gather in the home of Jerome Thayer of North Liberty street.

SEVENTH WARD PERSONALS

Mrs. Jessie Richey of 326 North Liberty street has been admitted to the New Castle hospital.

David Mack of R. D. 7, Mahoningtown, has been admitted to the Jameson Memorial hospital.

Mrs. J. F. Strittiger of 800 West Clayton street visited on Sunday with Mrs. Ellen McCarthy of Pittsburgh, formerly of the ward. Mrs. McCarthy who had been quite ill, is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ezze and family of 206 Montgomery avenue have returned from Cleveland, where they visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Genaro and Mr. and Mrs. Patsy Capson, the former's relatives. Louis entered the Cleveland Clinic hospital for a week's observation.

SHARON, Pa.—(INS)—Cpl. Joseph Matteo, serving on the Belgian front, wrote friends that one day while reading a copy of "Yank" he was attracted to a picture of a scene in the Philippines. The picture showed his brother, Cpl. Frank, pulling a dead Jap out of a pillbox.

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KEEP THE FLIVVER

NEW YORK—(INS)—People who have been planning to trade in the family flivver for a helicopter as soon as they start rolling off the assembly lines are in for a disappointment.

Frank H. Kelly, Jr., assistant to the president at Bell Aircraft Co., says jet propulsion is comparatively inefficient at low altitudes and consumes a great deal of fuel.

Expert's explanation of shell shortage: An infantry captain calls for concentrated artillery fire to do a job that one hand grenade would do as well.

PEOPLES BANK OF NEW CASTLE

Statement of Condition as of March 20, 1945

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Cash and due from Banks	\$ 688,554.59	Capital	\$ 100,000.00
U. S. Gov't. Bonds	1,647,970.94	Surplus	100,000.00
Other Securities ...	115,895.49	Undivided Profits and Reserves	44,999.51
Loans	450,119.59	Deposits	2,733,527.39
Office Building and Fixtures	65,000.00	Other Liabilities ...	30,600.00
Other Real Estate ..	7,750.00		
Miscellaneous Assets	33,536.29		
Total	\$3,009,126.90	Total	\$3,009,126.90

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Sgt. M. J. Villani Killed In Action

Radioman-Gunner Reported Killed
Following Previous Report As
Missing In Action

According to a telegram from the war department, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony J. Villani of 343 East Long avenue have received the news that their son, Sgt. Marshall J. Villani of the army air force has been killed over Germany January 10. He had previously been reported missing in action in an earlier telegram.

The telegram reads as follows: Report now received from the German government through the International Red Cross states your son, Sergeant Marshall J. Villani, who was previously reported missing in action, was killed in action on January 10 over Germany. The secretary of war extends his deep sympathy. Confirming letter follows, J. A. Ulio, adjutant general.

Sgt. Villani reached 20 years of age on March 12. He was attached to the eighth air force stationed in England and was a radio operator and gunner on a B-17 bomber.

Sgt. Villani had been in the service since June 1943 and was attached to the armored division early in his induction period. In January 1944 he passed his air corps test and was sent to a gunner school at Los Vegas, Nev., where he later received his wings. He served overseas since October 1944.

The young airman was a member of St. Vitus church and had many friends among the younger set. Surviving are his parents, a sister Helen, a brother Anthony William and grandfather, Dominick Ezzi.

Prior to his induction he was employed on the Pennsylvania railroad.

The expression, "escaped by the skin of his teeth" is traced to the 19th chapter of Job, 20th verse, where it is found, "I am escaped with the skin of my teeth."

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VOLANT

MOTHERS' CLUB

Members of the Volant Mothers' club were entertained recently at the home of Mrs. Mae Shaffer, with June Wherry and Millie Newby as co-hostesses.

Sally Allen had charge of the program and presented Mrs. Carl Hart, of New Wilmington, who gave an interesting talk. Next meeting will be April 5, at the home of Mrs. Bernice Thompson.

S. S. CLASS PARTY
Young People's Bible class of the Methodist church had a class party in the church parlors on Friday evening. Mrs. Alice Lesnett, Mrs. Leora Arrow and Herbert Thompson were the committee in charge of the evening.

EASTER SUNRISE SERVICE
A sunrise service will be conducted Easter morning at 7 o'clock at Rich Hill Presbyterian church.

SPECIAL PRAYER SERVICE
The Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church will conduct a special prayer service at the church on Good Friday at 2 p. m. Mrs. Rhode Undercoffer has charge of the program.

VOLANT NOTES
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baker have sold their home to Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Drake and have left for Baltimore, Md., where Mr. Baker is employed.

Mrs. Carter E. Johnston and infant daughter, have returned to their home from the Bashline-Rossman hospital, Grove City.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stevenson and family, have moved into the house formerly occupied by Elmer Cornman and family.

Mrs. Robert Johnson and son Bobby Lee, who have been staying with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baker, have gone to Johnstown.

Milo Moses has bought the home, formerly owned by Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Drake, and expects to move into it soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hindman, of Oil City, called on friends here on Friday.

Trinity Church Holy Week Series

Trinity Episcopal church will sponsor a series of special broadcasts each evening during Holy Week at 6:15 over WKST.

The series consists of stories of "Living Peoples" dramatized for presentation by a professional radio cast. They are stories about people who have found the way to live through service to others.

The death rate in the United States during 1944, the third full year of war, continues at a low level.

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Y.W.C.A. Business Girls To Sponsor Program For Lent

Blue Triangle Business Girls club of the Y. W. C. A. will sponsor a Lenten program on Thursday at 7 p. m. at the Y. W. C. A. at which Mrs. J. J. McIlvaine will present a study of the Ten Commandments as ten precepts for modern living.

Miss Mildred Parfitt will sing an Easter solo and Miss Esther Gibbons and Mrs. Emma Gibbons Richards will lead in singing of Lenten hymns.

The Blue Triangle committee in charge is Miss Lillian Ekblom, Miss Gladys Baker, Miss Ramona Allen and Miss Gladys Hackett.

The program is open to all business girls and all women who may not have been able to attend Mrs. McIlvaine's Thursday morning Lenten Bible class at the Y. W. C. A.

**Retailers Receive
Simpler Price Forms**

Durable Goods' Sellers Will Hear
Explanation Of New Charts At
Court House Meeting

Regulations concerning new pricing charts which simplify the calculation of ceiling prices for clothing, dry goods and house furnishings—the "durable goods" category—have been distributed to all local retailers, the rationing office announced today.

To assist retailers in preparing the new pricing charts, a representative of the district OPA office in Pittsburgh will talk with New Castle retailers at a meeting in the court house Tuesday evening, April 10, at eight o'clock.

These new charts, which show the cost and selling prices of goods offered for sale on March 19, 1945, must be in the Pittsburgh office by Friday, April 20. The new forms have been made to conform with the new price regulations.

**Cpl. D. J. Crawford
Killed In Germany**

Wampum Road Soldier Killed In
Germany Early This Month,
Message States

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. A. G. H. Crawford, of the Wampum road, R. D. 7, Mahoningtown, stating that their son, Cpl. Donald J. Crawford, aged 21 years, had been killed in action in Germany on March 2.

Cpl. Crawford was serving with a cannon company, attached to the Infantry. He entered the service on May 7, 1943, and went overseas in December 1943, and has seen many months of action against the Nazis.

He graduated from Mt. Jackson high school in the class of 1942, and was employed at the Lockley Machine Company, prior to entering the service.

Besides his parents, he is survived by two sisters, Cornelia Jane and Martha Elizabeth, at home.

Of 1,900 locomotives in France before the war, only 5,000-odd were said to be still serviceable at the start of 1945.

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HARLANSBURG

BAPTIST B. Y. P. U. members were entertained on a recent evening at the home of Donald McKnight, with a fine attendance. Rev. L. Methewson was devotional leader. The leaders for the month of April are: Esther Eakin, Willis Kierman, Dorothy and Winifred Harlan and Delbert Eakin, with Helen Kildoo as devotional leader and Ivan Mathewson as overseer and game leader.

Games were under the direction of Dorothy Harlan. Later a lunch was served by the hostess and her assistant.

HARLANSBURG NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Elder McCormick and Wayne, of New Castle, visited their sister, Mrs. G. G. Wimer, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brennehan and family have moved to Harrisville.

Mrs. Claude Tharpe and children, of New Castle, have been spending several days with her sister, Mrs. Willis Kierman.

Cpl. Lee R. Allhouse, of Camp Maxey, Tex., recently visited several days with his mother, Mrs. Mary Allhouse, of R. D. 4.

A quarter of a century ago, school children were dismissed to see passing automobiles.

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DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS

1. American Indians
5. Longthwise
9. Threads of a loom
10. Blush
11. Chills and fever
12. Commenced
13. Sets, as of boxes, etc.
14. Occurrences
15. Close
16. Thrive
17. Thrive (mus.)
18. Electrified particle
20. Nickel (sym.)
21. Large reading desk
22. Trouble
23. Size of type
26. Emblem for valor
28. Beam
29. Claw
31. Type measure
32. Metal
33. Fuel
36. Incline
39. Figured fabric of linen
41. Per to the sun
43. Shaggy (colloq.)
44. Fruit
45. Border
46. Weakens
47. Observes

DOWN

1. Boys' nickname
2. Boring tool
3. Social group
4. Feeling
5. Vale
6. Grows old
7. Move with haste
8. Flower
11. Wager
13. Yet
15. Weep
16. Names as a candidate
21. Close to
22. Public notice
23. Regions
24. Frisks
25. Affirmative reply
27. Any power, full deity
30. Estimate
33. Donkeys
35. Firmament
37. Pen-name of Charles Lamb
38. Pack down
40. Fashion
42. Property (L.)

ON THE AIR TONIGHT

WKST—1280; KDKA 1020; WCAE—1250; WJAS—1250

KDKA
6:30—Music At Castle
6:45—Lowell Thomas, News
7:00—Music Shop
7:15—News of the World
7:30—Great Gildersleeve
7:45—Great Gildersleeve
8:00—Cavalade of America
8:15—Cavalade of America
8:30—Voice of Firestone
8:45—Voice of Firestone
9:00—Telephone Hour
9:15—Telephone Hour
9:30—Information Please
9:45—Information Please
10:00—Contended Hour
10:15—Contended Hour
10:30—Lr. I. Q.
10:45—Lr. I. Q.
11:00—News, Don Hirsch
11:15—Sports
11:30—High Hat Club
11:45—News
12:00—Midnight Roundup
12:15—America United
12:30—Curfew Concert

WCAE
Evening Service
Dinner Music
News, Fulton Lewis, Jr.
Four Vagabonds
Building Drummond
Building Drummond
Cecil Brown
Curt Massey
Adventures of Sher. Holmes
Adventures of Sher. Holmes
Gabriel Heatter, News
Real Stories from Life
Heroes of Bantagon
Heroes of Bantagon
Anita Ellis Sings
P.M. Parade
This Is Our Duty
John Trent, News
Nixon Backstage
Bernie Cummins, orch.
Bernie Cummins, orch.
Sign Off

WJAS
Jimmy Carroll Sings
World Today
Joe Kirkwood Show
Hedda Hopper
Thanks to the Yanks
Thanks to the Yanks
Vox Pop
Vox Pop
Adventures of Sher. Holmes
Adventures of Sher. Holmes
Radio Theater
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Screen Guild Players
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The Symphonette
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Ken Hildebrand
Joan Proctor
Jerry Wald, orch.
Jerry Wald, orch.
Elliott Wald and orch.
Elliott Wald and orch.
News
Made from the West
Signature

WKBN—570

6:30—Sports
6:45—The World Today
6:55—Joseph C. Harsh
7:00—News
7:15—Hedda Hopper
7:30—Easter Bunch
7:45—Record Shopper
8:00—Vox Pop
8:15—Burke and Allen
8:30—News
8:45—Radio Theater
8:55—Screen Guild Players
9:10—Thanks to the Yanks
9:25—Thanks to the Yanks
9:40—Arthur Garth, News
9:55—Arthur Garth, News
10:10—Ask Jane Porterfield
10:25—Take It Easy
10:40—For Women Only
10:55—News at Noon
11:10—Songs in Motion Downey
11:25—C. C. Agricultural Convention
11:40—United States Marine Band
11:55—Lunchtime With Lopez
12:10—John J. Anthony
12:25—Just Between You and Jane Cowi
12:40—Never Too Old
12:55—News
1:10—True Detective Mysteries
1:25—The Smoothies
1:40—Date of the Army
1:55—Walter Connolly, News
2:10—Johnson Family
2:25—Variety Night
2:40—Chit Chat Roy Detective
2:55—Koonik Klub Parade
3:10—American Red Cross
3:25—Bum Bryson
3:40—Evening Edition
3:55—House of Mystery
4:10—Memorable Music
4:25—Paul Sierker, News
4:40—News
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5:10—Music and Lyrics
5:25—Between the Lines
5:40—Milton Brown, Curt Massey
5:55—Milton Brown, Curt Massey
6:10—Real Stories from Real Life
6:25—American Forum of the Air
6:40—Paul Sierker, News
6:55—Wings for Tomorrow
7:10—Radio Newsweek
7:25—Paul Sierker, orch.
7:40—George Sierker, orch.
7:55—Buddy Clark, orch.
8:10—News
8:25—Art Karsel, orch.
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'Fish Fever' Is Prevalent Again

Warm-Spring Like Days
Bring Out Fishermen,
Heavy Sucker Fall
In State

TROUT FISHERMEN GETTING IMPATIENT

STATE COLLEGE, Pa., March 26.—"Fish fever" induced by premature spring weather has brought more sucker fishing this month than any March of recent years, according to Gordon L. Trembley, assistant professor of fish culture at the Pennsylvania State college.

Impatient trout fishermen, backed by ration-conscious wives, have turned to sucker fishing as an outlet for their pre-season enthusiasm. Trembley explained, adding that suckers are "good eating" until summer, when they become too soft.

Conditions Favorable

Including continually-increasing numbers of women anglers, pre-draft age boys, and "old timers," Pennsylvania's fishermen this season will approach pre-war years in numbers, Trembley believes. He also predicts tremendous expansion in the post-war era.

The Penn State expert expressed confidence that conditions will be favorable for successful trout fishing next month, contending that only a heavy snow followed by sudden melting will seriously interfere with early season catches. At the present time the streams are neither too high nor too muddy, he said.

DePaul Quintet Favored To Win

George Mikan, DePaul's Standout Center, Injured, But Will Face Bowling Green

NEW YORK, March 26.—(INS)—Despite a slight leg injury suffered by George Mikan, standout center, DePaul was a slight favorite with the experts today to topple Bowling Green for the national basketball championship at Madison Square Garden tonight.

There admittedly was little to choose between the two quintets which have battled over all opposition to reach this final battle, but Mikan's tremendous scoring spree impressed most observers who have watched him.

Heat treatments have removed much of the tightness from a bruise where he was kicked in a practice scuffle and he was expected to go the route against the Bowling Green five.

In a preliminary contest St. John's will meet Rhode Island State on next to the last title program of the year.

WILL EXAMINE LINDELL

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., March 26.—(INS)—Another Yankee player, Outfielder Johnny Lindell, had his orders today to report for a pre-induction physical, the third in as many days to receive such notice. Lindell plans to have the draft exam transferred from California to the east.

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NEW CASTLE NEWS SPORTS

Jockey Meade In Hot Water Again

Mexican Officials Set Meade Down For Two Months For 'Reprehensible Conduct'

MEXICO CITY, March 26.—(INS)—Jockey Don Meade today pondered the now established fact that Mexican racing officials are as tough as the ones he has encountered in the United States.

Meade came here as a stellar attraction when the war interrupted racing across the border, but won't ride any more during the current meeting which has two months to go. He has been set down for "reprehensible conduct."

The charge did not cite specific instances, but reportedly was based on a rough ride and his subsequent verbal battle with the stewards.

The cocky little rider who once was set down in Florida for betting against his own mounts, grounded in New York for collusion and otherwise penalized during his storied career, was set down for five days as a forerunner to his latest trouble.

Ellwood Fifth In Gym Tourney

Ellwood Scores Points In Rope Climb And Tumbling For Five Points

ELLWOOD CITY, March 26.—The Ellwood City gymnastic team has returned from Penn State college where they participated in the P. I. A. A. gymnastics tourney Saturday, finishing fifth in the state competition with five points. Lower Merion won the championship with 44 points.

Ellwood City placed men in two events, the rope climbing, Emmett Dambrosia finishing fourth, and in the tumbling event, Charley Morrison, finishing fourth, and Jim Suppa, of Ellwood finishing fifth.

It was the second straight year the Lower Merion has topped the gymnastic championship. Pottstown finished second with 31 points.

Michigan Indoor Track Champions

LAFAYETTE Ind., March 26.—(INS)—University of Michigan's athletes were secure today as the acknowledged champions of the indoor track season in the middle west.

After winning the annual Big Ten indoor meet in Chicago, they came to Lafayette for the third relay carnival conducted by Purdue university Saturday and there again successfully defended their title.

The well-balanced Wolverine team rolled up 36½ points while Illinois was taking second place with 20 points.

Lamotta-Costner Battle Tonight

CHICAGO, March 26.—(INS)—Jack Lamotta, Bronx middleweight, was expected to enter the ring tonight at least a 3 to 1 favorite over George "Sugar" Costner, Cincinnati welter, in their scheduled 10-round bout at the Chicago stadium.

Costner has an impressive record, 22 knockouts in 23 successive victories, but Ray Robinson ended the Cincinnati's string of wins recently at the stadium by knocking him out before the first round was ended.

Larry Shields, former Penn State and Olympic miler, is in command of a carrier aircraft service unit of the Atlantic fleet.

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FIREARMS AND NATION'S YOUTH

For years outdoorsmen interested in assuring our nation's youth its fair share of sport with firearms have been attempting to drive home the admonition that anyone who provides a boy with a gun assumes a big responsibility.

He should make sure that the boy will receive considerable basic training along with his new weapon, perhaps through membership in a good rifle or gun club, but preferably first-hand field instruction by a parent or some other competent older person. That the admonition isn't heeded in many instances is disclosed by a report of the Michigan conservation department that of 18 minors involved in gun accidents during last fall's hunting season, only six had taken any lessons at all in the safe use of firearms.

Minors 16 or Under

"Minors," so far as gun handling in the Wolverine State is concerned, are 16 years of age or under. There is a law in Michigan providing that boys under 17 must be accompanied by adults while hunting, and it's a good law, too, but difficult to enforce.

Parents of 14 of the 18 aforementioned minors asserted they had never heard of it, while parents of the other four admitted knowing of such a regulation. Of the 18 minors only nine were licensed to hunt; the remaining nine either were not licensed or were licensed illegally, the minor having claimed to be older than he was.

Minors Involved

Minors were involved in 60 of the 132 gun accidents officially reported during the small game season in Michigan and in 12 of the 56 accidents during the deer season. There were 17 fatalities during the small game season, 13 in the deer season.

Recommendations made on the basis of the preliminary Michigan report stress need for more training in the handling of firearms among boys under 17, closer check of minors while hunting, more publicizing of the law that requires an adult to accompany a minor while hunting, taking of all legal steps possible in prosecuting responsible adults who willfully allow minor children to hunt when unaccompanied by adults, and more prosecutions under the state's reckless use of firearms law.

Save Some Lives

All of which is to the good and probably will result in saving some youthful lives and limbs. But it seems to me that a parent worthy of the name would see to it that a boy knows how to handle a gun before he's turned loose with one and that the responsibility lies chiefly at the parent's door. Trouble is, it's mighty hard to educate some parents.

BASEBALL MEN TO RECEIVE CALL

M. J. Donovan, Last Year's President, To Arrange Baseball Meeting Soon

M. J. Donovan, president of the City Baseball league stated Saturday that a call will be issued within the next week or more to managers of baseball teams now in circuit and representatives of teams which may desire a 1945 franchise to attend a meeting to arrange for baseball this season.

Junior Church League Results

Three more games were played in the Junior Basketball Tourney at the "Y" Saturday.

The Trinity team defeated the Central Presbyterians 34 to 4; the First Baptist topped the First Presbyterians 20 to 16; the First U. P. thumped the First Christians 40 to 4.

The schedule for tonight—1st U. P. vs 1st Baptist, Epworth vs 1st Christians, Trinity vs Highland.

MACKS WIN ONE

FREDERICK, Md., March 26.—(INS)—Connie Mack's Athletics marked again two straight pre-season victories today after downing the semi-pro Frederick Hustlers 7-1 on McCurdy field before 1000.

The A's took three innings to warm up, then began pasting the ball to put the Hustlers out of the running. Dick Siebert, already well at home at the first sack, pounded out two hits.

DURRETT ON FIRST

BEAR MOUNTAIN, N. Y., March 26.—(INS)—Converted from an outfielder to a first baseman, Elmer "Red" Durrett, an ex-Guadalcanal marine, served notice that he had plenty on the ball by helping his Dodger mates throttle the reserves 10-8 in an intra-squad game.

Schoolboy tournaments attracted more than 300 athletes to Penn State this spring.

LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE

WOW! WHAT A CLOSE CALL! IF SHE EVER GUESSED I'VE GOT THAT COAT OF HERSH'S UNDER TH' JUNK IN THAT BARREL! — S K K K K K

WHEN SHE CAUGHT ME DOWN HERE, I TOLD HER I WAS GETTIN READY TO CLEAN OUT TH' BASEMENT... THAT FOOLLED HER... AT LEAST I HOPE IT DID!

THAT ODD OF BURNED CLOTH! IT SHOULD'VE GONE LONG AGO!... UNLESS... OH!... MEHICFUL HEAVENS! THAT HORRIBLE LITTLE IMP!

3-26-45

Sweden's Champ May Stay Here

Hurdle King Who Came Over With Hagg, May Enter Outdoor Meets



Haakon Lidman

By WALTER L. JOHNS
Central Press Sports Editor

CLEVELAND, March 26.—Haakon Lidman, the hurdle champion who came to the United States with Gunder Hagg and has shown to better advantage than his more famous country-man, may get a crack at American outdoor records this spring and summer.

Lidman, who acts as interpreter for the swift Swede, revealed that he may stay here when Gunder goes back to his haberdashery store job in Malmö, Sweden, the first week in April.

He said he'd like to stay in the United States and run in the outdoor meets. His indoor competition on his current tour is his first, since they have no indoor tracks in Sweden.

Lidman can stay, but Hagg must go back, for he has a contract with his Malmö employer to report April 15 or he may face a suit. Hagg took the job under contract six months ago and his employer granted him only a three-month leave in January.

Newspaperman

Lidman, however, is under no contract back home. He is sports editor of the Nya Dagbladet, Alfabanda, an evening newspaper in Stockholm. The paper, one of nine in Stockholm, has a circulation of 60,000.

The Swedish timber-topper who speaks English fluently and appears to be an intelligent businessman, is one of Sweden's three outstanding athletes, the others being Hagg and the other distance-running star, Arne Anderson.

Lidman is 30 years old and a native of Goteburg. He has been performing on the hurdles for 15 years. He won the high hurdle championship of Sweden in 1934 and has repeated every year since.

Big Crowds Turn Out

While he was just beginning to flash his championship form in 1936 Lidman did participate in the Olympic games in Berlin, finishing fourth to Spec Townes, the Georgia boy who won the 110-meter event for Uncle Sam.

Like all athletes in Sweden, Lidman belongs to an athletic club. Boys begin training early. There are four coaches for all of Sweden, the men traveling to the different cities and towns to help the boys.

When the big meets are held, generally in Stockholm, crowds of 23,000 turn out—all the stadium can hold—with 10,000 or more outside trying to get in. The track fans pay to get in, just as at our big meets.

Lidman is a big fellow, over six feet tall, and weighs about 165 pounds. He is married and has a daughter. He became sports editor of the Stockholm newspaper a year ago.

Won And Lost

Lidman is a sprinter and runs the hurdles only over the short distances. He has a smooth-running style and can hop the barriers with some of the greats of the past.

In his first appearance on the boards in this country, Lidman won his preliminary heat in the 60-yard high in 7.5, but injured his leg and ran second to Ed Dugger, national champion, in a 7.4 final.

In his second appearance Lidman negotiated the 60-yard high in tracks record-equaling time of 7.4 to win with ease.

His Swedish record for the 110-meter high hurdles is 14 seconds flat.

He didn't appear in the Chicago meet because of an injury.

The legendary history of Persia begins thousands of years before the Christian era. The earliest trustworthy information, however, is derived from Greek writers.

Name Two More Pistol Instructors

Students May Register For New Class To Start At Cathedral Tuesday

Kenneth Beck and William Jents have been added to the list of instructors by the Sportsmen's Revolver club at the Cathedral range according to Secretary Charles H. Schweinsberg. He also announced that classes organized two weeks ago have made progress and students may register at the range for a new class which will receive their first instructions Tuesday evening.

Following the instructions to the students, club members will hold a shoot. The last scores were: C. Schweinsberg 95, McKee 92, Beck 89, Bollinger 87, Allen 87, H. Schweinsberg 84 and Corban 83.

Harris Favored To Defeat Shank

PITTSBURGH, March 26.—(INS)—Ossie "Bulldog" Harris string of four victories before Pittsburgh fans and "Cowboy" Reuben Shank's 10-month ring lay-off since he injured a hand today contributed to establishment of 5-2 odds in favor of the veteran "Bulldog" in their 10-round battle scheduled for tonight in Pittsburgh.

Cliff Beckett, of Canada, is matched against Johnny Mario, Boston, in the 10-round semi-final, while Rene Cantero, Cuba, faces Joey Miller, Chicago, in an eight rounder; Joey Pirrone, Cleveland, meets Billy Bates, Pittsburgh; and Art "Bomber" Brown squares off with Billy Duncan, Canada, in six round bouts.

Allentown High State Champions

PHILADELPHIA, March 26.—Allentown High school basketball team won the state high school basketball championship at Philadelphia's Convention Hall by nudging Donora High from Western Pennsylvania 40 to 38 in a thrilling finish.

Donora the W. P. I. A. L. champions, and Western representatives played good basketball to lead the first half, but an Allentown avalanche in the third period gave the "Canaries" a 30 to 27 lead at the end of the period, and that was too much for the Donora team to overcome, although they won the last period 11 to 10.

Pirate Regulars Thump Yanigans

MUNCIE Ind., March 26.—(INS)—The Pirate regulars today looked back with satisfaction on a 9-4 victory registered over the club's Yanigans yesterday in the first nine intra-club contest of the training period.

Though outlit 13 to 10, the regulars bunched their blows to score all nine tallies in the first two frames. Outfielder John Barrett led the attack with a two-run homer and two singles.

For the second team, Lee Handley, Bill Rodgers and Al Lopez each collected three safeties.

Susie, 3-year-old daughter of George Harvey, Penn State's wartime track coach, is expert at tying trout flies.

BO

IT'S SWEET OF YOU FOLKS TO DROP IN GLAD TO MEET OUR NEW NEIGHBORS. COME RIGHT IN.

THEY'RE FRIENDS OF OUR DOG, BO. THEY DROP IN TO EAT. I'LL CALL MRS. GREEN, SHE'S DRESSING FOR THE BANQUET.

AS WE CAME IN I NOTICED SEVERAL DOGS IN THE YARD.

EVENING CLOTHES FEELS STRAY DOGS. GOING TO A BIG BOND RALLY DINNER IF THEY'RE HARD UP IN AGAINST PROSPERITY.

I WISH THE REST OF THE NEIGHBORS WOULD GET HERE WITH THE SPARE FOOD.

WOW! LOOK AT THE PARADE! COMING IN HERE, RAGS!

BY HAROLD GRAY

3-26-45

All-Stars In County Picked

Wampum Gets Two Places, New Wilmington, Union, Shenango One Each, On First Team

County basketball fans have been anxiously awaiting the annual selection of the all-section 21 teams, so without further ado, fanfare or ticker tape, the writer goes out on the well-known limb and looks for the same to be sawed off—nonetheless.

In the first team will be found two Wampum players, one from New Wilmington (the Section 21 champs), one from Union and one from Shenango. Wampum and New Wilmington are neck-and-neck for places on the second team, with each gaining two players, Bessemer drawing the fifth man.

The following selections were made by Charles P. "Bugs" Walther, assistant sports editor of The News:

Player	Position	School
Korab	forward	Union
Bennett	forward	Wampum
Grimmen	center	Wampum
C. Tanner	guard	Shenango
Coblentz	guard	N. Wil.
Player	Position	School
Shaffer	forward	N. Wil.
Marich	forward	Wampum
Chesmer	center	N. Wil.
Anderson	guard	Bessemer
Porter	guard	Wampum

Byron Nelson Wins Greensboro Event

GREENSBORO, N. C., March 26.—(INS)—Byron Nelson of Toledo was all-even today with Sam Snead of Hot Springs, Va., in winter tournament golf victories, following his easy triumph in the \$7,500 Greater Greensboro meet.

Nelson shot a 5-under-par 66 on the final 18 yesterday to tie the difficult Starbuck course record with a 72-hole total of 271. The runner-up, Sam Byrd of Detroit, was eight strokes behind at 279 after carding a 2-under-par 69 on his last round. The veteran Johnny Revolta of Evanston, Ill., was one stroke back in third place with 280.

It was Nelson's second time in five days as he had beaten Snead in a second 18-hole playoff Wednesday at Charlotte, N. C. It also was his sixth of the winter season, the same number as the tournaments in which Snead has triumphed.

Favor Williams To Defeat Lay

PHILADELPHIA, March 26.—(INS)—Despite his bad showing against cagey Willie Joyce at the Garden March 2, Trenton's Triphammer like Williams was rated a 4 to 1 favorite today to defeat Philadelphia's Dorsey Lay in tonight's 10-round arena windup.

The 19-year-old Lay, however, has come up considerably in recent fights and some of the smart dopsters are backing him to upset Williams in the lightweight all-Negro bout. Tonight's encounter is important to Williams, for on its outcome hinges his chance to meet Juan Zurita for the NBA title in Mexico April 18.

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LIGHTHEAVY by the name of Jesse James fought one Jesse Ray in Detroit the other night. When James had to quit because of a fractured rib, one guy in the assemblage reportedly yelled: "That's highway robbery, that's what it is. Jesse however, didn't go out gunning for the gent. When the St. Louis Cards arrived at their training camp at Cairo, Ill., they found the outfield of the practice field under four feet of water. One onlooker piped up: "And you guys let Ducky Medwick go!"

Looking up at the skies as the squad arrived, another bloke wanted to know whether that meant the end of the reign for the champion Caros. No, Mr. Bloke, it doesn't, for the water was the result of the flood, not a downpour. Word is out that the Giants may be the strongest New York club this season. Frank Crosetti is a Yankee holdout. Ben Chapman, pitcher for the Dodgers may play the outfield in Jean Cava. Pitcher John Gonska of the Tigers is to be inducted March 29. Les Mueller, who pitched for Beaumont in the Texas League before his service in the Navy, is among the rookie pitchers who may help the Tigers this year. It Bert Sheppard, the one-legged pitcher of the Senators, hurried in the California state league before he went into the service in 1942. He pitched for Anaheim. Jim Bagby, the Cleveland pitcher, played the outfield in an intra-squad game the other day.

For 15 years an ace forward in the National Hockey League, Syd Howe star of the Detroit Red Wings, once again has won the Jacobson prize as the most valuable player on the Detroit squad. This season Howe cracked the all-time scoring record of 514 points, set by Nels Stewart. When not on the ice Howe is an employee of the Ford Motor Company in Detroit. Joe Lapchick, one of the greatest of the original Celtics, stellar pro cage outfit of 20 years ago, has just signed a new contract to coach the Brooklyn St. John's U. cagers for another five years. Lapchick, who was one of the finest ball handlers ever to take the floor in his days with the Celtics, is completing his ninth year as cage mentor of the St. John's five. His club is currently in the invitational tourney in New York.

CARDINALS HOME
ST. LOUIS, March 26.—(INS)—The world champion St. Louis Cardinals today scheduled first workouts on their home grounds, Sportsman park at St. Louis. Water seepage onto the playing field at the Cairo, Ill., prompted Prexy Sam Breadon to order their return to St. Louis to wind up spring training activities.

BRAVES TOP SENATORS
COLLEGE PARK, Md., March 26.—(INS)—The Washington Senators today chalked up a training season loss to the Boston Braves 2 to 1. The Sabbath contest played at Maryland university, site of the Senators' training camp, was the first game of a series between the two major clubs. The Braves are training at Georgetown university in nearby Washington.

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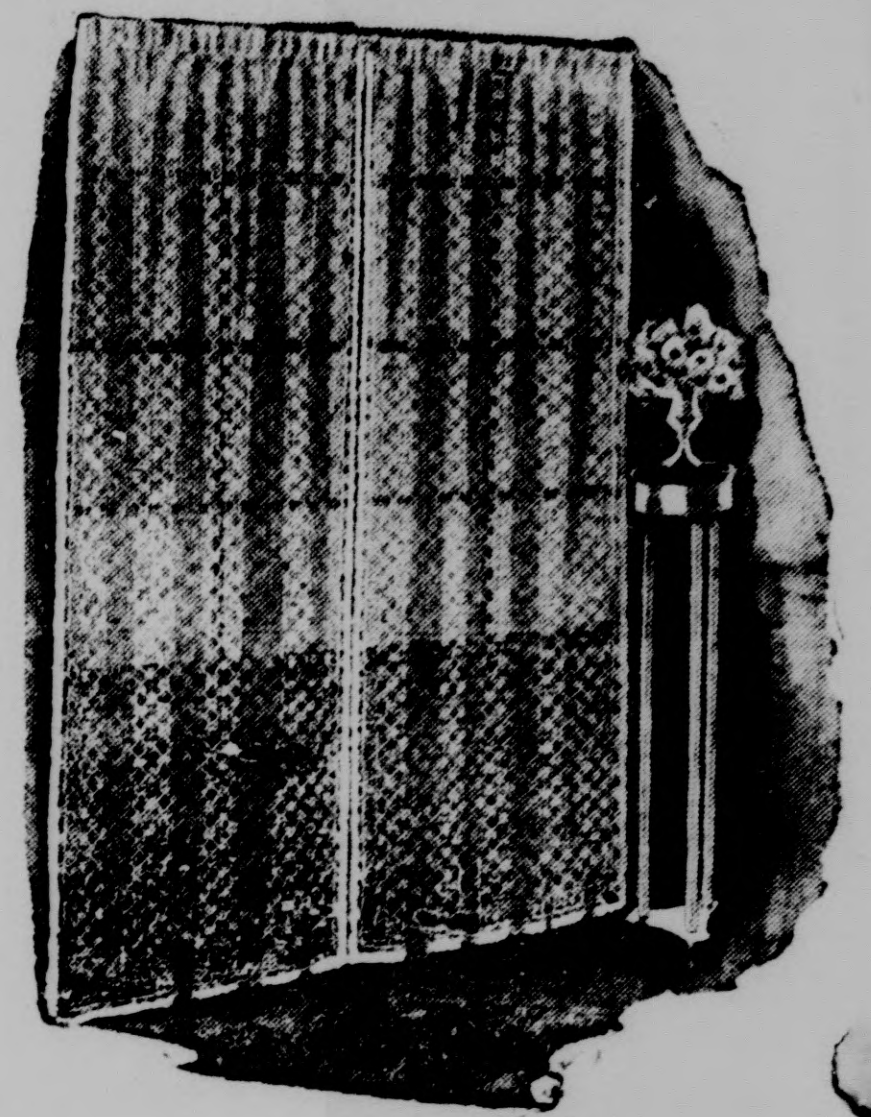
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Panel effect lace curtains with plain center and floral border, 3-inch bottom hem, ready to hang tops, 38 inches wide and 2 1/2 yards long. Eggshell color. A curtain suitable for any room.

Split Wood Clothes BASKETS

\$1.29

Sturdy construction, heavy canvas handles. Size, 16 inches wide, 26 inches long and 11 1/2 inches deep. Natural color.

WOOD SALAD BOWLS AND TRAYS

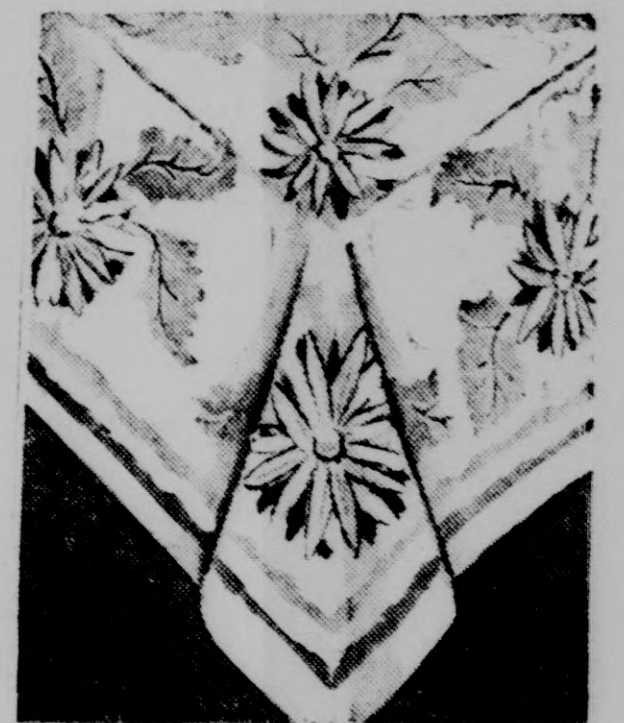
Large size wood salad bowls with fruit decorations... **\$2.29**

Individual wood salad bowls... **59c**

Wood trays of decorated shaped plywood... **\$1.98**

Wood silverware box—with divided sections. Colors: Red or green... **49c**

Third Floor



Hand Blocked LUNCH CLOTHS

\$2.29

Sizes 52x52 Inches

Pre-laundered, hand blocked gay floral prints in new designs and color combinations.

Gay Printed Kitchen Towels... **49c**

Organdy

BEDROOM SETS

3-Piece Vanity Sets with 2 size scarfs, one 36-inch and one 45-inch, fast color figured organdy in blue, rose and green.

\$2.98 set

Linens—Main Floor



Today's BUTTONS

... are regular "Cinderellas"

Their magic touch can impart the right accent to a new costume, bring an old one out of the doldrums. We've every style, size, color of button that any woman's heart could desire. Displayed on large frames for easy selection.

Hand painted ceramics, jewel studded plastics, pearls, galliflith. Exquisite buttons designed to make earrings and dog collars. And all the old standbys.

4c to \$1.00 each

Notions—Main Floor

NEW CASTLE STORE

Causing Spring Color
Commotion... All-Wool
COHAMATWIST

Whisper-soft 100% wool in a beautiful basket-type weave that flows luxuriously into dress-maker softness, the smartest spring suits, skirts, coats! Famed for the way it keeps that "just tailored" look. Sponged and shrunk, ready for your needle. Breathtakingly beautiful in lightedhearted, luscious Spring pastels! 52" and 54" width.

\$4.50 yd.

Main Floor



NEW CASTLE STORE

Increase Shown In Delinquency

PITTSBURGH, March 26.—(INS)—A two percent increase in the number of juvenile delinquency cases disposed of by courts in Pittsburgh and Allegheny county during 1944 was reported today by Katharine F. Lenroot, chief of the Children's Bureau, United States Department of Labor. Although the total number of cases, totaling 3,238, increased slightly for the area, there was a five percent decrease over the nation as a whole, the report added.

WIFE'S TEMPER WAS REALLY HOT

PHILADELPHIA, March 26.—(INS)—Physicians at Northern Liberties hospital got a slight surprise recently when they asked 55-year-old Sergei Harnaba how he got second degree burns all over his face and body.

Sergei explained that he had had a slight argument with his wife, Fedora, and had walked out in a huff. When he returned, said Sergei, he forgot to throw in his fedora to see if Fedora was in a receptive mood. She picked up a bucket of hot water with which she was scrubbing the floor and tossed it at him.